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1956

# HARRIS SEEDS

MARKET GARDENERS AND FLORISTS



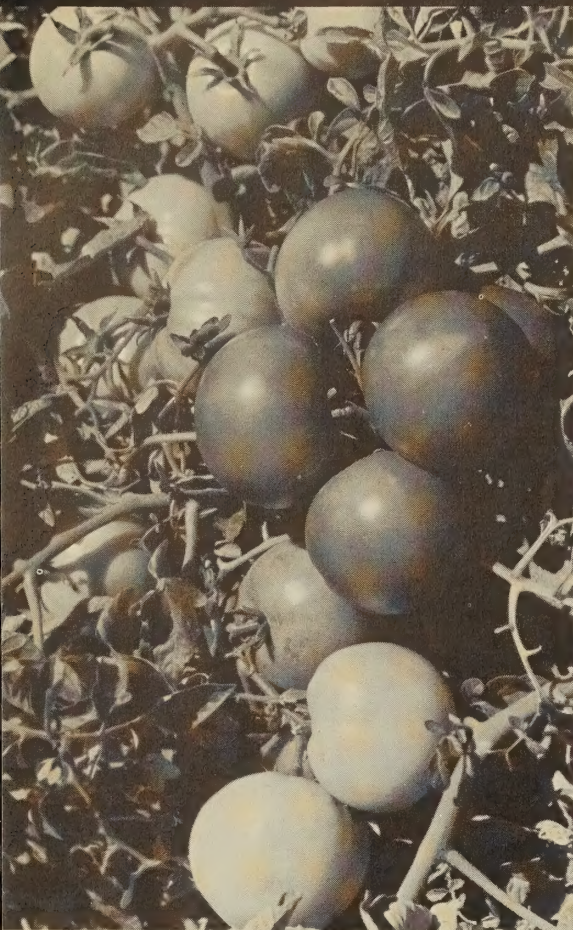
**GOLD PAK CARROTS.** All-America Bronze Medal for 1956. Extra length and slim shape . . . ideal for bunching and pre-packaging. See page 6.

**SEMINOLE BEANS.** Heavy yields of smooth, round, meaty pods. Mosaic resistant. See page 7.

**JOSEPH HARRIS COMPANY Inc.,** MORETON FARM, ROCHESTER 11, N.Y.



# Harris Seeds



HARRIS' FIREBALL

## THE TWO BEST EARLY TOMATOES . . .

These Exclusive Harris' Developments are Leading Money-Makers for Growers.

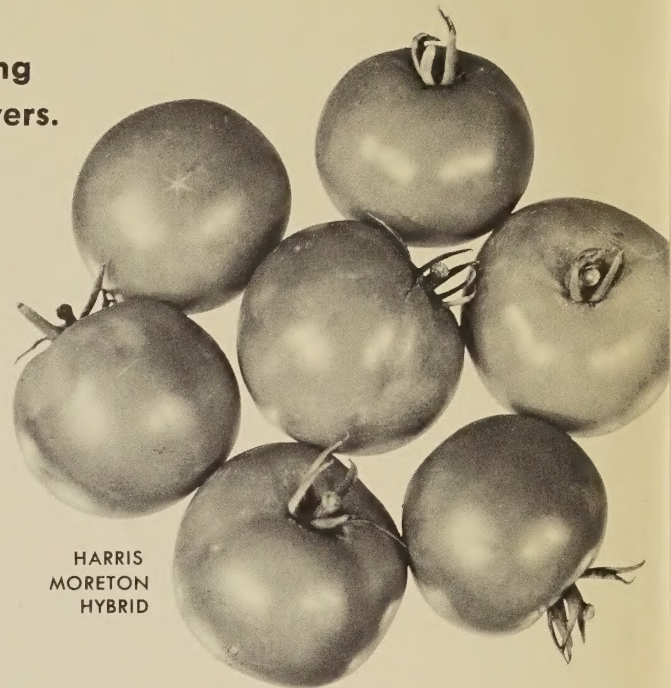
### 861 Fireball

Note these features and you'll see why more market growers every year choose our Fireball for their *extra early* crops:

Round, Smooth Fruit  
Good Size, Even Color  
Very Firm Flesh  
Mild, not acid  
Compact Vines.  
Extra Early Fruit set even in cool weather.  
Quick-Ripening—Big pickings for the higher priced early market.

For your first tomatoes, plant Fireball; it is a real profit-booster.

¼ Oz. 80¢; ½ Oz. \$1.50; Oz. \$2.50;  
¼ Lb. \$7.50; Lb. \$22.50; 5 Lbs. or more @ \$20.00 Lb.



HARRIS  
MORETON  
HYBRID

### 871 Moreton Hybrid

Moreton Hybrid is acclaimed by many of our customers as the finest early tomato they have ever grown. Widely adapted and a superb market type, it is the only tomato we know combining all these advantages: **Hybrid Vigor . . . Exceptional Yields . . . Early Maturity plus Long Bearing Season . . . Large, Uniform Size . . . Smooth, Attractive Fruit . . . Solid, Meaty Interiors . . . Fine Color and Wonderful Quality.**

Grow Moreton Hybrid for abundant early crops of the very best tomatoes. (For plants, see page 22.)

⅓ Oz. \$2.20; ⅓ Oz. \$4.00; ¼ Oz. \$7.50; ½ Oz. \$13.50; 1 Oz. \$25.00; 2 Oz. \$48.00;  
3 Oz. \$69.00; ¼ Lb. \$88.00; ½ Lb. \$152.00; 1 Lb. \$288.00.

## Please read before ordering

### TERMS AND DISCOUNTS

#### Cash Discount 3%

Our regular terms are cash with order for which we allow a discount of 3% on vegetable and flower seeds only. No discount on Field and Grass Seeds, Potatoes, Onion Sets and Plants, other Plants and Roots, and Accessories. All these items are strictly **net cash with order**.

**C.O.D. SHIPMENTS.** Not recommended because of extra C.O.D. fees and frequent delays in delivery. 25% cash down payment must be sent with order and cash discount is not allowed on C.O.D. orders. No C.O.D.'s accepted for plants, roots, potatoes, onion sets, nursery stock, Hotents, Super Hotents and Fertile Pots.

#### Time Payments

If you wish to open an account with us, send name of your bank and at least two business references. To customers of established credit we offer these terms:

**Market Gardeners' Terms.** (Vegetable Seeds only.) All bills due and payable *net* August 1. (For goods shipped after that date, due Dec. 1st.)

**Florists' Terms.** (Flower Seeds only.) Due *net* June 1st. (On goods shipped after that date, Dec. 1st.)

**Note:** Field and Grass Seeds, Potatoes, Onion Sets and Plants, other Plants and Roots, and Accessories, are strictly **net cash with order** and may not be charged.

### DELIVERY OF SEEDS

#### Shipping Charges

**Prepaid Items:** Except for Beans, Sweet Corn and Peas, we pay shipping charges on all **vegetable and flower seeds** in the U.S.A. (Not Canada). We usually send small lots by parcel post and larger lots by freight. If you want a shipment by *parcel post* which we could send more economically by freight, please consult your post office and include postage with your remittance; we will then refund the freight rate. If you specify *express*, we will ship by *express collect* and *refund the freight rate*.

**Not Prepaid Items:** Beans, Sweet Corn and Peas are shipped at your expense unless your seed order (not including Farm Seeds, Accessories, etc.) amounts to \$20.00 or over. We will then prepay by freight or parcel post, whichever is less. If wanted by *express* or *mail* on larger lots, see above.

**Field and Grass Seeds, Onion Sets, Plants, Roots, Accessories, etc.,** are shipped at your expense, except where quoted *postpaid*. Specify *parcel post*, *express*, *freight* or *truck*—note shipping weights.

#### Method of Shipment

**PARCEL POST.** Rates are now very high, but shipments under 50 lbs. are still less than freight up to 300 miles. Beyond that, only 35 lbs. or less are cheaper. Consult your post office for rates and send payment for postage on *not prepaid* items.

**EXPRESS.** Rates are high but service usually fast. Sent *collect* (see above). Be sure to give your nearest *express office*.

**FREIGHT.** Cheapest for large shipments but often slow. Minimum is \$2.37. Allow for delay and give nearest freight office and railroad.

**TRUCK.** Where *direct* service is available from Rochester, truck is usually faster than rail freight at slightly higher cost. No C.O.D. shipments by truck.

### CONDITIONS OF SALE

All of our seed is thoroughly tested for vitality and germination, and every package is marked with the results of our tests. We guarantee arrival in good condition and warrant to the full amount of the purchase price that our seeds and plants are of good vitality and true to name as described on the container. So many other factors besides the seed influence the success or failure of crops that, in common with all responsible seedsmen, we specifically limit our liability in all instances to the purchase price of the seed.

**PRICES** are subject to change without notice and to our stocks being *unsold*. For smaller quantities than listed here, refer to our general catalog which will be mailed to you separately.

**PLEASE ORDER EARLY.** While we can give your orders prompt service here, we suggest you allow for possible delay in shipping next spring.

JOSEPH HARRIS CO. Inc., *Moreton Farm* • ROCHESTER 11, N.Y.  
Phone: GEnesee 4606



# HARRIS SEEDS

1956 PRICE LIST FOR MARKET  
GARDENERS AND FLORISTS

## ASPARAGUS SEED — Best New Varieties!

### 208 Waltham Washington (New)

*The Latest Improvement in Yield and Type*

A brand new strain developed by Prof. R. E. Young of the Waltham Station, Mass., after 25 years' patient selection and testing of parent plants. The result is an exceptionally uniform, high-producing stock with large vigorous spears of the best type. The buds remain tight and attractive until quite tall and have an even dark green color with the usual purplish tinge of the Washington variety. Excellent quality, good rust resistance. Start a new bed this year with Waltham Washington.

Oz. 80c; ¼ Lb. \$2.25; Lb. \$6.50;  
5 Lbs. or more @ \$6.00 per Lb.

### 207 Viking — Dependable Stock

This strain is a reselected Washington type, developed several years ago at the Vineland Station, Ontario, Canada. It has been grown very successfully in commercial crops and produces much more uniformly large spears than the standard Mary Washington. A very fine asparagus, much in demand.

Oz. 70c; ¼ Lb. \$1.80; Lb. \$5.50;  
5 Lbs. or more @ \$5.25 per Lb.

**Asparagus Roots:** We expect to have some 2-year roots of Viking and both 1 and 2-year roots of the regular Mary Washington. See page 22. No roots of the new Waltham Washington until 1957.

## BEANS

One pound of beans will plant 150 ft. of row.  
60 to 75 lbs. per acre.

### 77 Seminole (New)

*Handsome Round Green Bean  
(See Photo on Front Cover)*

Developed by Dr. E. A. Wolf of the Everglades Station, Fla., from U.S.D.A. material, Seminole is a most promising new round bean for market, shipping and processing. Several days later than Tendergreen, it has large vines with distinct foliage and a heavy set of pods maturing evenly.

The 5½ in. pods are true round, somewhat smoother, more attractive and better filled to the ends than Tendergreen, very meaty and of fine quality if picked young. The color is medium green and the uniformly smooth shape and good appearance is striking. Seminole is resistant to mildew and mosaic and many strains of rust. The yields are often much heavier than other round beans. We recommend it highly. Seed brown mottled. See prices below.

### 84 Topcrop

*Best Early Round Pod—Mosaic Resistant*

Topcrop's exceptional yielding ability and wide adaption has won it an important place. Early, prolific and vigorous, it is ready to pick well ahead of other round beans and its concentrated set and even ripening permit harvest of most of the crop at one time. 5½ to 6 in. long, the straight plump pods are medium green, stringless and of fine quality. Best if picked young. Resistant to common bean mosaic. See prices below.

### 78 Slendergreen—The Bean with the Smooth Slim Look

Here is a new high quality bush bean in the Tendergreen class which has proved outstanding for the canners in the East and very valuable for market also. The husky vines set heavily and mature evenly so that it is well adapted for mechanical harvesting as well as hand picking.

The straight slender pods are 5½ to 6 in. long, fully round and medium green in color. They have good thick tender flesh but stay slim and smooth without showing lumpiness until quite old. For best quality, however, harvest them as soon as full size is reached. One of the best new varieties we have seen. Seed mottled purple. See prices below.

### 37 Improved Tendergreen

*A Mosaic Resistant Strain*

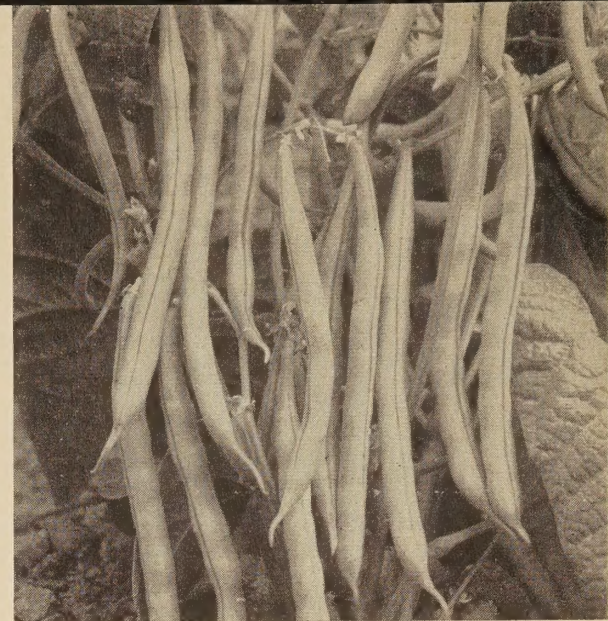
We offer an excellent new strain of the famous Tendergreen bean, so widely grown for market and canning. It has pods of good length, 5½ to 6 in., well-rounded and meaty, fairly smooth with good dark color. The quality is excellent. The large vigorous vines are mosaic resistant, spreading in habit but hold the pods up well. Maturity in midseason with a fairly concentrated set. If you grow Tendergreen beans, be sure to try this strain. See prices below.

### 80 Stringless Black Valentine

*Most Popular for Shipping*

This slender oval bean has a wonderful market appearance and a great ability to stand shipping and handling. It is hardy and dependable under a wide range of conditions from Florida to New England and westward.

Our strain is the finest market type, with slender straight oval pods of uniform length and handsome appearance. The upright sturdy plants bear heavily and the true slim shape is retained even under adverse conditions. Vigorous, healthy seed, grown in Idaho or California. See prices below.



SLENDERGREEN

*Straight trim pods of best market type.*

### 22 Contender

*Tremendous Yields of Fine Oval Pods*

For market, shipping and roadside stands where oval or semi-round pods are desired, many of the best growers prefer Contender. It is early, resistant to common bean mosaic and the dwarf compact vines set enormous crops, carrying the pods just outside the main stems where they are easy to pick.

The pods are very long (5½ to 7 in.) and smooth, with a marked tendency to be curved but still very attractive. They are thicker and of better eating quality than Stringless Black Valentine, yet hold up satisfactorily for shipping and are widely grown for market in all sections. Like most beans, they do best where soil moisture and fertility are high.

Our stock of Contender is true to type, reliable and productive, and we highly recommend it. See prices below.

CONTENDER

*Wonderful shipper—mosaic resistant.*



BEANS—Continued on next page

NOT PREPAID: Beans are shipped at your expense unless your vegetable seed order is \$20.00 or more. We then prepay freight charges. See inside front cover.

	1 lb.	5 lbs.	15 lbs.	25 lbs. or more @	500 lbs. or more @
18 BOUNTIFUL. An Old Favorite Flat Bean. . . . .	\$.55	\$1.95	\$4.95	\$.28	\$.26
Highly dependable and very early. The broad flat pods are light green and uniform, popular for shipping.					
22 CONTENDER. Excellent Oval-Podded Kind. See above.	.55	2.00	5.10	.29	.27
37 IMPROVED TENDERGREEN. See above. . . . .	.60	2.15	5.70	.33	.31
77 SEMINOLE (New). Attractive Round Pods. See above.	.65	2.40	6.15	.35	.33
78 SLENDERGREEN (New). For Slimmer Pods. See above.	.65	2.40	6.15	.35	.33
80 STRINGLESS BLACK VALENTINE. See above. . . . .	.55	1.85	4.80	.27	.25
83 TENDERLONG 15. Mosaic-Tolerant . . . . .	.60	2.10	5.55	.32	.30
Vines erect with concentrated set, coming on fairly early. Produces good yields of uniform round green pods 5½ in. long, used for market and processing.					
84 TOPCROP. Early, Dependable. See above. . . . .	.60	2.10	5.55	.32	.30
90 WADE. Excellent Round Green Pods. . . . .	.65	2.20	5.70	.33	.31
Upright, strong-growing vines produce big yields of smooth dark green pods, 5½ to 6 in. long. Fine for shipping, high in quality. Medium late, mosaic resistant, excellent in Mid-West and elsewhere.					





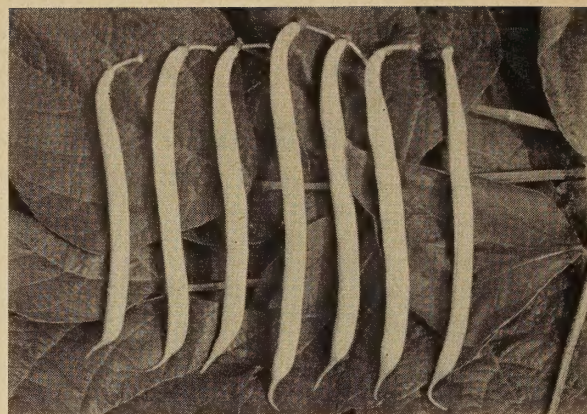
CHEROKEE WAX—Uniform, dependable.

## WAX-PODDED BUSH BEANS

### 21 Cherokee Wax

*The Best Wax Bean for Market*

This oval-podded wax bean resembles a yellow Stringless Black Valentine, with the same dependability and productiveness. The smooth clean look of the pods and their uniform oval shape make Cherokee the market favorite. Under a wide range of conditions, you can expect heavy crops of 5 to 6 in. pods, nearly straight with clear light yellow color and good quality. Cherokee is an ideal market type and is extensively used by the most important growers. See prices below.



KINGHORN WAX—Best round wax.

NOT PREPAID (See page 1)

	1 lb.	5 lbs.	15 lbs.	25 lbs. or more @	500 lbs. or more @
21 CHEROKEE WAX. Long, Straight, Oval Pods. See above.	\$.55	\$2.00	\$5.10	\$.29	\$.27
43 KINGHORN WAX. Attractive Round Pods. See at right.	.60	2.15	5.70	.33	.31
55 PENCIL POD BLACK WAX. Round and Meaty. . . . .	.60	2.15	5.70	.33	.31

Old favorite round wax bean. The yellow pods are nearly straight, thick-meated and of good quality. Black seed. Now being replaced by Kinghorn Wax in many areas.

### 43 Kinghorn Wax

*Round Slender Pods—Rich Golden Color*

Now the leading round wax bean, not only for processors but also for market. A pure white-seeded Brittle Wax, Kinghorn has proved highly dependable and productive. The vigorous, upright vines bear smooth, attractive, fully-rounded pods, 5 to 6 in. long, meaty and of creamy golden color. High quality. See prices at left.

## HORTICULTURAL AND POLE BEANS

### 28 French Horticultural

*Harris' Special Strain—Bush Vines  
The Finest Shell Bean*

This is our own strain of bush shell beans and so popular that we have difficulty meeting the great demand for our seed. The vines are of semi-runner habit, vigorous and highly productive. The pods are the true long type, uniform and brilliantly splashed with scarlet coloring. All our seed is now grown in disease-free areas. (We regret that advance orders have booked all available seed.)

"Your seeds are excellent. Sorry I didn't know about them years ago." 3/16/55  
J. A. Passauer, Oil City, Pa.

### 40 Kentucky Wonder

*Harris' Special Strain—White-Seeded*

This special white-seeded strain of Kentucky Wonder produces better yields and finer pods than others we have tested. The tall vigorous vines are remarkably healthy and prolific and the pods are exceptionally long, straight and meaty. If your market wants Kentucky Wonder beans, try this stock; it has been a top favorite for many years. See prices below.

NOT PREPAID (See page 1)

	1 lb.	5 lbs.	15 lbs.	25 lbs. or more @	500 lbs. or more @
28 FRENCH HORTICULTURAL. Harris' Special Strain. . . . .	Sold out				
40 KENTUCKY WONDER. Harris' Special Strain. See above.	\$.60	\$2.10	\$5.55	\$.32	\$.30
44 KING HORTICULTURAL. Our Special Strain. See above.	.60	2.15	5.70	.34	.32

### 44 King Horticultural—Pole Type

*Harris' Special Large-Seeded Strain*

Excellent both as a snap or green-shelled pole bean. The broad pods are stringless, a little shorter than French Horticultural with larger, rounder seed and almost as good coloring. On good well-drained land it can be grown without support. This is an excellent strain, developed and grown only by us. See prices below.



FORDHOOK U.S. 242—By far the finest bush lima.

## FAVA BEANS or Broad Beans

### 96 Broad Improved Long Pod—First Choice for Market

These large flat oblong beans are used in the green shell or dry stage and are profitable on some markets. The vines grow erect, medium tall, and produce good crops of pods up to 7 in. long. Our customers have been well pleased with this stock. Must be planted early.

Not Prepaid (See Page 1). 1 lb. 60c; 5 Lbs. \$2.30;  
15 Lbs. \$5.85; 25 Lbs. or more @ 35c per lb.;  
500 Lbs. or more @ 33c per lb.

## LIMA BEANS

### 26 Fordhook U. S. 242

*Uniform—Heavy Yielding—Dependable*

Fordhook U. S. 242 is the best and most widely grown bush lima. It has proved itself more dependable, more productive and more profitable than the old Fordhook, and it consistently sets big crops of fine beans even under adverse conditions, such as hot, dry weather. The large, vigorous plants produce heavy yields from the first picking right through till frost.

The pods are remarkably uniform—every one is good sized, nearly straight and closely filled with 3 or 4 choice, thick beans. The fine shape and size hold up even on the late sets, and the quality is excellent.

Our treated seed is the finest to be had and has built a reputation with the best growers for high yield and dependability. See prices below.

NOT PREPAID (See page 1)

	1 lb.	5 lbs.	15 lbs.	25 lbs. or more @	500 lbs. or more @
26 FORDHOOK U. S. 242. Heavy Yields. See above. . . . .	\$.60	\$2.20	\$5.55	\$.32	\$.30
35 IDEAL or Mammoth Podded POLE LIMA. . . . .	.60	2.20	5.55	.32	....
Pods 5 to 7 in. long, early and prolific. Broad flat seeds, delicious to eat.					
86 TRIUMPH. "Baby Limas". . . . .	.60	2.20	5.55	.32	....
A thick-seeded small lima bean with fine flavor. Concentrated set, delicious flavor and fine color that holds well for canning or freezing.					

**HARRIS' LIMAS ARE DOUBLE-TREATED**  
For Protection Against Seed Corn Maggots  
and Rotting in the Soil

Our carefully applied Orthocide-Dieldrin treatment permits earlier planting, gives better stands, finer crops. We believe this treatment is such good insurance that all our lima bean seed is treated at no extra charge.



**BEETS** ¼ lb. of seed will sow about 250 ft. of row. Sow 10 lbs. per acre for rows 14 in. apart. 6 to 8 lbs. per acre for rows 18 in. apart.

## 221 Green Top Bunching

In place of our Crosby Green Top which is not available this year, we suggest this widely-grown strain. The tops are medium-sized with smooth gray-green leaves that hold their color and fresh appearance well in spite of cool weather.

The bulbs are nearly globe-shaped, smooth with fine tap roots and the flesh is fine-textured and of good bright, blood-red color. Not quite as even in shape as Crosby Green Top but the best substitute we know where color of top is important. See prices below.



GREEN TOP BUNCHING

## 213 Crosby's Egyptian

A good strain of bunching beet, early-maturing and of satisfactory type. The tops are somewhat savoyed and fringed and of fair color. Roots usually slightly flattened on top and bottom, attractive-looking with medium tap roots. Shows some interior zoning but color in general is good and the quality is high. See prices at right.

## BROCCOLI

1 oz. produces 2000 to 3000 plants. 4 oz. per acre.

### 233 Green Mountain

A new early strain, well-liked in some areas for both market and freezing. The bluish-green center heads are fairly small-budded, and have branched stems that may be easily divided for the freezers. Lateral shoots develop rather slowly but the type is good. Matures early, adapted especially for spring and summer crop. Plants uniform in type and very productive.

Oz. 80c; ¼ Lb. \$2.20; Lb. \$6.50;  
5 Lbs. or more @ \$6.25 per Lb.



ITALIAN GREEN SPROUTING

## BRUSSELS SPROUTS

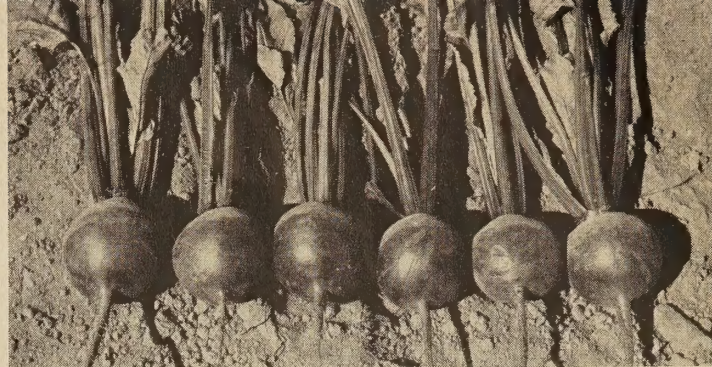
1 oz. produces 2000 to 3000 plants. 4 oz. per acre.

### 236 Catskill—Heavy Yields—Finest Sprouts

Since the Joseph Harris Company first introduced Catskill, it has been universally recognized as the best variety to grow in the East. Expert growers in many of the best sprout growing sections now use it almost exclusively. They prefer its dwarf, compact, uniform growth and the heavy sets of large, firm, dark green sprouts. The quality and dependability of our strain make it by far the finest and most productive to be had.

¼ Oz. 70c; ½ Oz. \$1.20; 1 Oz. \$2.15; ¼ Lb. \$7.10; 1 Lb. \$25.00.

### DETROIT DARK RED



### 215 Detroit Dark Red—Harris' Special Strain—Famous for Color and Shape

This is the best beet for late summer and fall trade. It is not only of excellent globe shape but has superb deep red color that is almost without equal. Harris' Special Detroit Dark Red is a vigorous large-topped strain which is particularly fine for fall bunching and excellent for processing. Some canners choose Detroit beets grown from our seed before all others.

We have grown and selected this strain for many years on our farms and now we can confidently state that no better strain of Detroit beet can be obtained. It will produce heavier yields of smooth, round, dark red beets than any other. See prices below.

	¼ lb.	1 lb.	5 lbs. or more @	25 lbs. or more @
210 BEETS FOR GREENS.....	\$ .40	\$ 1.00	\$ .95	\$ .85

A distinct rapid growing variety, producing an abundance of large reddish-green tops very quickly. Very popular for greenhouse and outdoor use.

211 CROSBY GREEN TOP. We regret that we have no seed to offer of this popular Harris Strain. No. 221 Green Top Bunching (see above) has good green leaves, and No. 213 Crosby's Egyptian is a satisfactory early bunching strain. Crop Failure .....

213 CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN. Early, Good Color. See at left. .... .45 1.25 1.10 1.00

215 DETROIT DARK RED. Harris' Special Strain. See above. .... .55 1.50 1.40 1.25

219 EARLY WONDER. A Superior Strain for Bunching. .... .50 1.35 1.25 1.15  
Quite similar to the Harris' Special Crosby that we sold for many years. Early and of good deep red color, roots smooth, rounded and attractive.

221 GREEN TOP BUNCHING. Fine Type. See above. .... .55 1.50 1.40 1.25

222 LONG SEASON. Also Called "Winter Keeper". .... .95 2.50 ....  
A very large, late variety with heavy green foliage and rough, long, tapered roots, not handsome but of finest quality—always sweet and tender. Mainly for home use.

**MANGELS—For Stock.** Six to eight pounds of seed will sow an acre. ¼ lb. 1 lb. more @

546 DANISH YELLOW GIANT. The Heaviest Yields. .... \$ .40 \$ .95 \$ .90

550 MAMMOTH LONG RED. High Feeding Value. .... .40 .95 .90

### 234 Waltham 29

*The Finest Broccoli for Fall Crops*

Broccoli specialists greatly prefer this excellent uniform strain. The vigorous plants are short and stocky and mature very evenly. They produce tremendous crops of large, heavy center heads, fine budded, of dark blue-green color and with evenly developed curd. When these are cut, the strong side shoots bear good sized, tight heads, excellent for freezing or market. Outstanding for uniformity and yield.

Not recommended for spring transplanting, but unexcelled for fall crop, especially in the Northeast and along the Atlantic Coast. Developed by Dr. R. E. Young of the Waltham Field Station, Mass.

Note: Be sure your soil has adequate boron.

Oz. 80c; ¼ Lb. \$2.20; Lb. \$6.50;  
5 Lbs. or more @ \$6.25 per Lb.



WALTHAM 29—The best kind.

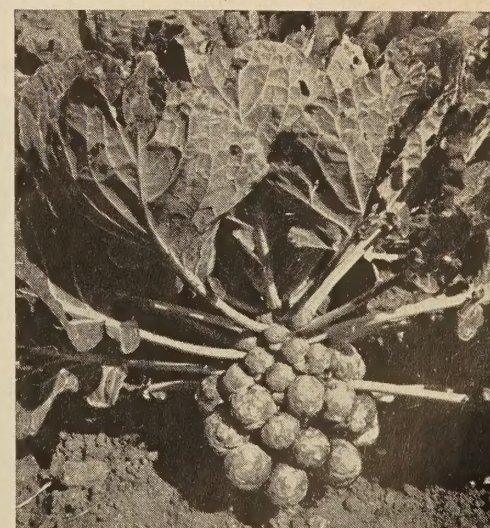
### 230 Italian Green Sprouting

*Calabrese Strain—Widely Adapted*

For many years the standard variety and still recommended. It is medium early with large plants and produces the compact, tightly budded heads that the market wants. The side shoots develop freely and are of good size and excellent color. This strain has been successful for spring, summer and fall crops and is widely adapted.

Oz. 55c; ¼ Lb. \$1.55; Lb. \$5.00;  
5 Lbs. or more @ \$4.75 per Lb.

CATSKILL—Preferred by critical growers.







**GOLDEN ACRE SPECIAL**  
Bob Eichenlaub, one of our salesmen, checks  
the outstanding features of our famous strain.



**BADGER MARKET**  
Fine quality—yellows resistant.

## 273 Greenback Y.R. (New)

*A Resistant Round Dutch Type*

This is a brand-new yellows-resistant strain of the Round Dutch variety, widely grown in the South. It is worthy of trial as a market cabbage in many areas, especially for fall crop as it withstands cold weather. Also valuable for wintering over farther south as it is very slow to bolt.

The plants are vigorous but compact and the heads are medium-sized, round to slightly deep, firm with an over-all dark green color. The quality is excellent and they mature in early midseason, just after Copenhagen. Not a long-standing cabbage but a most desirable market and shipping type. Prices at right.

GREENBACK, Y.R.—New shipping type.



**CABBAGE** 1 oz. produces 1500-2000 plants in open ground, about 3000 in frames. 1/4 to 1/2 lb. per acre.

## 271 Golden Acre Special

*The Best Early Cabbage*

This finely-bred special Harris strain is the earliest and finest stock to be had and is unsurpassed for the early market. It is highly uniform, very attractive in appearance, and ripens a large proportion of heads at one time. The plants are compact and quick-growing, producing round firm heads of fine quality. These features have made it the favorite of the most particular growers. We strongly recommend our strain to those who want absolutely the best in extra early cabbage. See prices below.

## 272 Golden Acre Yellows Resistant

*Fine Early Resistant Strain*

Growers who have yellows find this uniform stock highly profitable and dependable for early market. Almost as early as our Special Strain, it has short-stemmed plants and solid round heads of ideal size and excellent blue-green color. For first early crop on infected soil, we recommend this strain as the finest resistant type available. See prices below.

## 241 Badger Market (New)

*Outstanding for Small Solid Heads*

To meet the fresh market demand for small, firm heads of high quality, we suggest the new Badger Market developed by Dr. J. C. Walker of Wisconsin. It is an attractive second-early type, about a week later than Golden Acre, highly resistant to yellows and moderately resistant to mosaic. It stands well without bursting and responds to good fertility and moisture.

The small round bluish-green heads are unusually compact with short cores and excellent quality, tender with mild flavor. Plants small and open, should be planted close. An ideal market type, especially where other varieties get too big. See prices below.

## 251 Medium Copenhagen Yellows Resistant

*Popular Market and Shipping Type*

This resistant strain of Copenhagen matures a week or ten days after Golden Acre and produces uniformly fine heads under a wide range of conditions. The heads are medium-sized, round in shape, darker green than the regular and the quality is excellent. They are firm, hold well without bursting and are well adapted for market and shipping. A widely grown type that we can recommend highly. See prices below.

All our cabbage seed is **HOT WATER TREATED** for control of Black-Leg and Black Rot. Another Harris service at no extra charge.

	Oz.	1/4 lb.	lb.	5 lbs. or more @
241 <b>BADGER MARKET (New).</b> Second-Early. See above.....	.80	\$2.40	\$7.00	....
244 <b>BONANZA.</b> Hard Heading, Crack Resistant.....	.70	2.00	6.00	5.75
Solid round heads mature in midseason, can be cut small or will grow without splitting for weeks. Valuable for shipping. Short-cored, quality like a hard Danish.				
292 <b>CHIEFTAIN SAVOY.</b> The Best Savoy Cabbage.....	.55	1.65	5.00	4.75
An excellent, uniform, finely curled strain of savoy, fairly early and very popular.				
255 <b>DANISH BALLHEAD, Harris' Special Strain.</b> See next page.....	.85	2.55	7.75	7.25
258 <b>DANISH Y.R. 13 (New).</b> See next page.....	.90	2.90	8.75	8.50
261 <b>EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD.</b> Early Pointed Heads.....	.50	1.50	4.50	4.25
264 <b>GLOBE, Yellows Resistant.</b> For Midseason Market.....	.65	1.80	5.50	5.25
Fairly large solid heads of blue-green color. Holds up well for summer and fall market. Vigorous, dependable.				
271 <b>GOLDEN ACRE SPECIAL.</b> The Best and Earliest Strain. See above.....	.75	2.10	6.25	6.00
272 <b>GOLDEN ACRE, YELLOWS RESISTANT.</b> See above.....	.70	2.00	6.00	5.75
273 <b>GREENBACK Y.R. (New).</b> (Resistant Round Dutch.) See at left...	.85	2.65	8.00	7.50
277 <b>HARRIS' RESISTANT DANISH (New).</b> See next page.....	1.50	4.75	....	....
281 <b>MARION MARKET.</b> Yellows Resistant.....	.55	1.65	5.00	4.75
Popular, heavy-yielding midseason cabbage. Larger and a little later than our Medium Copenhagen and well adapted for main crop market and kraut. Produces fine round solid heads.				
251 <b>MEDIUM COPENHAGEN, YELLOWS RESISTANT.</b> See above.....	.65	1.90	6.00	5.75
285 <b>PENN STATE BALLHEAD.</b> True Stock.....	.65	1.80	5.50	5.25
A heavy-yielding Danish cabbage, widely grown for late crop, kraut and market. Medium to fairly large heads, broad, firm and uniform. A good keeper.				
289 <b>RESISTANT GLORY (New)</b> .....	.75	2.10	6.25	6.00
An excellent yellows resistant variety which has largely replaced the old Enkhuizen Glory. Big round heads, ripening in midseason. Long-standing and a heavy yielder.				
290 <b>RED ACRE.</b> Early Round Red.....	.80	2.40	7.00	6.75
The best early strain for the profitable red cabbage market. Small round hard heads of a beautiful deep red color. Plants compact and highly productive.				
291 <b>RED DANISH.</b> Superior to Mammoth Rock Red.....	.75	2.10	6.25	6.00
This firm, deep-colored round-headed strain is the most satisfactory late red cabbage we know.				
288 <b>RESISTANT RED ACRE (New)</b> .....	.85	2.65	8.00	7.50
Best red cabbage for yellows soil, slightly larger and later than Red Acre, heads round, solid, well-colored throughout.				
294 <b>WISCONSIN BALLHEAD, IMPROVED.</b> Yellows Resistant.....	.75	2.10	6.25	6.00
Well-adapted for summer and early fall crops on yellows soil. Plants fairly small, heads round, clean and firm. Earlier than most Danish, not cold-resistant and not a storage type.				
295 <b>WISCONSIN HOLLANDER.</b> Yellows Resistant.....	.70	1.85	5.75	5.50
This vigorous taller-growing late Danish type has medium to fairly large round heads of good firmness and color. Well adapted for fresh market in fall.				



## CABBAGE—Continued

### 255 Harris' Danish Ballhead Cabbage

*Special Strain. Uniform—Solid—An Excellent Keeper*

For modern markets, the medium sized, firm, clean heads of our superb strain of Danish Ballhead are the best obtainable. The plants are short-stemmed and compact, and the rounded heads are well wrapped, attractive, bluish green and of perfect size for market and shipping. Whether grown in midsummer, early fall or for winter storage, they command top prices.

Its vigor, uniformity and solidness make our Danish a consistently heavy yielder, and it is an excellent keeper, holding its color well and coming out of storage in excellent shape. It matures along with most Danish types but stands much longer without splitting.

Growers all over the Northeast report our strain outstanding for uniformity, firmness and market quality. For the best, grow Harris' Special Strain. See prices on preceding page.

### 277 Harris' Resistant Danish

Listed last year as "Experimental," this new Harris' cabbage proved highly successful in the field—even better than expected. (Unfortunately, it also proved difficult and expensive to produce the seed crops, hence the high price.) It is a fine, firm market type, earlier than our regular Danish but with much the same plant type and head shape. The growth is vigorous and uniform and the heads have good wrapper leaves and fine blue-green color. Supply very limited— $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. per customer while it lasts. See prices on preceding page.

### 258 Danish Y. R. 13 (New)

*Important Resistant Strain of Harris' Special Type*

Another yellows-resistant development out of our Danish Special, this late strain is valuable on infected soil. The plants are very uniform, short-stemmed and smaller than the regular with round or slightly flattened heads of medium size and good blue-grey color. They are sometimes not quite as well-covered as our Special but are very solid and attractive. Superior in our trials to other resistant Danish strains tested, except Harris' Resistant Danish above. Highly recommended if you have yellows. See prices on preceding page.

## CAULIFLOWER

One oz. produces up to 2000 plants in open ground or 3000 in frames.

### 344 Snowcap—Early—Fine, Deep Heads

An early variety, maturing almost with the earliest strains and producing smooth, deep, solid heads that rival the later types. Medium-sized, well-domed with good color and texture, these fine heads mature quickly and evenly and cut out clean. The plant affords good head protection with plenty of jacket leaves. Excellent for early fall, late spring and midseason crops. Highly recommended. See prices below.

### 339 Snowball Imperial—The Finest Strain

Snowball Imperial, a highly successful Harris introduction, is now widely recognized as the best Snowball or Erfurt strain on the market today. Not only for fall crops but in midsummer as well, it has excelled all others in quality, color and uniformity. It cuts out practically 100% perfect heads, deep and solid with snow-white curds.

The stocky plants have an abundance of jacket leaves giving excellent protection to the medium-sized heads. Ready to cut fairly early, it matures over a short period, an advantage for cauliflower specialists.

The consistently superior color and uniformity of Snowball Imperial make it our most highly recommended variety, outstanding in Florida, Long Island and the Catskills and well adapted all over the East. Be sure to plant some this year. See prices below.

### 340 Snowball, Perfected Strain

*Vigorous, Dependable Stock*

The standard midseason cauliflower and still preferred by many growers because of its vigor and longer harvest period. The heads of this strain are large and deep with a white attractive curd. The robust plants provide good leaf coverage and since they mature at different times, the crop is more easily handled by the smaller grower.

Our stock of this strain is uniform and dependable and has been well received by critical customers. See prices below.

### 342 Snowball 25

*Vigorous Later Type*

This rugged strain of Snowball cauliflower has also proved one of the very finest obtainable and has given great satisfaction. It is a little later than Snowball Perfected and has a rather long harvest period which is preferred by many growers. The plants are robust and leafy and they produce fine deep smooth heads, extra heavy and solid. Under a wide range of conditions, Snowball 25 cuts a very high percentage of No. 1 heads and we recommend it highly. See prices at right.

### 333 New Early Purple Head.

For Roadside Stands ..... \$ .90 \$3.00 \$10.00 \$35.00 \$32.50 .....  
Bright purple heads of very superior quality that many growers sell at stands or local markets. Their delicate flavor brings customers back for more.

	$\frac{1}{4}$ Oz.	Oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$ lb.	1 lb.	5 lbs. or more @	10 lbs. or more @
339 SNOWBALL IMPERIAL. See above.....	.90	3.00	10.00	35.00	32.50	\$30.00
340 SNOWBALL, Perfected Strain. See above..	.90	3.00	10.00	35.00	32.50	30.00
342 SNOWBALL 25. Reliable. See at left.....	.90	3.00	10.00	35.00	32.50	30.00
344 SNOWCAP. Best Early Type. See above...	.90	3.00	10.00	35.00	32.50	30.00



HARRIS' SPECIAL DANISH BALLHEAD—Carl Warren in a fine crop grown by Chas. Curtin of Albion, N. Y.

## CHINESE CABBAGE

Sow in July or August.

1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  lbs. will sow one acre.

### 282 Michihli—The Best Variety

Michihli is an improved strain of Chihli cabbage, more uniform and of better color. Its outer leaves are dark rich green without yellow shading and the heads are hard and blanch well. It is a sure header with greater vigor, very successful on muck and upland. Hot Water Treated.

Oz. 35c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  Lb. 95c; Lb. \$2.75; 5 Lbs. or more @ \$2.50 per Lb.

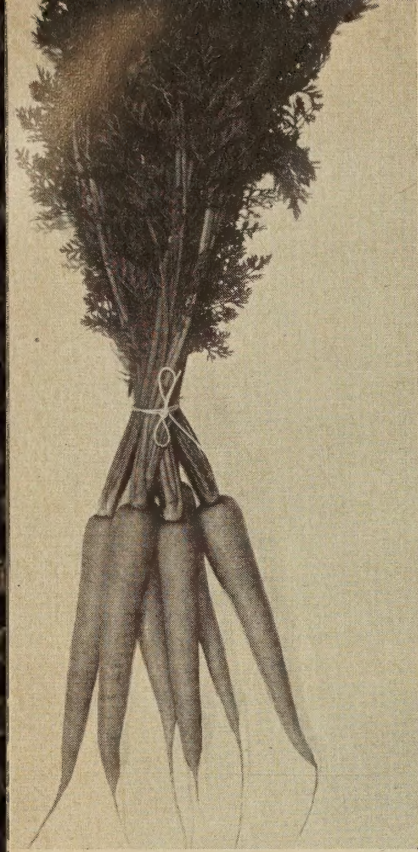


SNOWBALL IMPERIAL

Always makes the smoothest, whitest heads in our trials.

Our Cauliflower Seed is HOT WATER TREATED for your protection against black-leg and black rot.





**IMPERATOR, LONG**  
Long, smooth roots—fine color.

## CARROTS

An ounce plants about 300 feet of row.  
Sow 2 to 4 lbs. per acre, depending on the width of the rows.

### 307 Gold Pak (New)

*Long Slim Bunching Type. (See Photo on Front Cover)*

An All-America Bronze Medal winner for 1956, the new Gold Pak is a finely bred, uniform carrot, exceptionally long and slender, smooth and well-colored. It seems well-adapted for both bunching and pre-packaging and has performed very well in Eastern trials on both muck and upland. Even longer and slimmer than Gold Spike, this is not an early carrot, but it has short, strong tops and fine market appearance. Well worthy of extensive trial. See prices below.

### 309 Gold Spike

*Short Tops, Long Attractive Roots*

Another long bunching type, Gold Spike is well-liked by many growers. The dark green tops are short but strong, and the roots are slender and attractive, intermediate in shape between the tapering Emperor Long and the nearly cylindrical Gold Pak. Smooth surface, fine orange color and very good quality. Relatively new and already widely-grown. Prices below.

### 313 Emperor, Long

*Popular for Bunching and Packaging*

Our strain of this famous bunching variety has proved to be the best to grow for packaged carrots and is extremely popular. It is a vigorous type with strong, fairly large tops and a handsome, long, slightly tapered shape. The uniformity, color and appearance are most attractive and much superior to many strains offered. See prices below.

### 321 Royal Chantenay

*Heavy, Smooth, Cylindrical Roots*

This excellent strain grows somewhat more cylindrical in shape and about an inch longer than Red Cored Chantenay. The greater length gives extra tonnage per acre and the smooth even shape with little taper means less waste in processing. It has proved highly successful with both growers and canners, and we strongly recommend it. Fine interior color and quality. See prices below.

### 320 Red Cored Chantenay

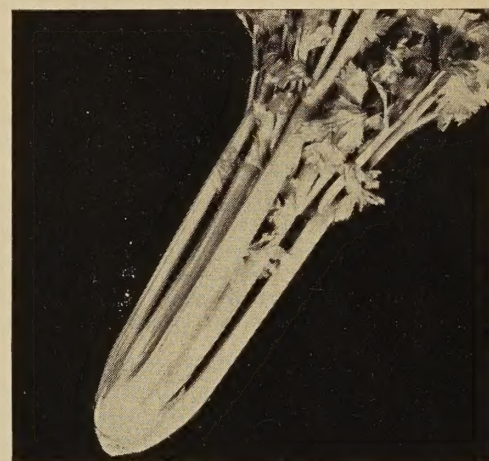
*Widely Grown for Canners*

We have an excellent stock of this popular carrot and our customers are highly pleased with it. It produces heavy crops of fine, smooth carrots, and has been so improved in recent years that it is practically 100% red cored. It is mainly grown for the canners and is just the type they want. Grows well on both muck and upland. See prices below.

### 315 Nantes—Long Strain

*Fine Flavor—Uniform Type*

The fine appearance and high quality of the original Nantes, or Coreless, are here combined with added length to make a better bunching carrot. Very early with a long, nearly cylindrical and slightly pointed shape, it has a bright waxy surface and a rich orange red color. Very sweet and tender. Tops short and small. See prices below.



**SUMMER PASCAL—Waltham Improved.**

### 378 Summer Pascal

*Waltham Improved*

This tall, erect and vigorous strain has largely replaced the regular Summer Pascal in most areas. It has all the earliness, high quality and attractive appearance of the original, combined with more upright growth and longer stems (9-12 in. under good conditions). Highly successful on both muck and upland, it is just what the markets want. The stalks are thick, crisp and tender, yet stand handling well. See prices below.

### 358 Cornell 19

*High Quality Golden Celery*

We again offer this popular yellow celery because it stores better and has better quality than Cornell 619. The stalks are long to the first joint, smooth-ribbed and deeply rounded, crisp and tender. Resistant to yellows and well adapted to both muck and upland. Should not be started too early as it bolts quickly if plants are subjected to cold. See prices at left.

### CELERIAC—"Knob" Celery

#### 352 LARGE SMOOTH PRAGUE

This is the standard market garden variety, producing good sized bulbs of finest type.

Oz. 85c; ¼ Lb. \$2.65; Lb. \$8.00.

## CELERY

An ounce of seed will produce about 8000 plants.  
It requires 20,000 plants to the acre.

### 384 Utah 52-70

*Excellent Main Crop Strain*

This widely grown variety makes rugged healthy plants, erect and quite tall, but not too tall for muck. The numerous stems are thick, well-rounded, crisp and extra long to the first joint (9-12 in.). The crop can be handled with little breakage and the quality is excellent. These upright, well-formed plants are well-liked by many growers and, with Utah 15, it is one of the leading strains in the country. See prices below.

#### Yellow or "Self-Blanching" Varieties

	¼ oz.	½ oz.	Oz.	¼ lb.	1 lb.
358 CORNELL 19. Long, Crisp and Tender. See at right. ....	\$ .50	\$ .85	\$1.55	\$5.25	\$18.00
359 CORNELL 619. Improved Market Type. ....	.50	.85	1.55	5.25	18.00
Long, smooth-ribbed rounded stalks. Crisp and tender throughout yet stands handling well. Recommended for main crop on muck or upland but may produce seeders if planted too early. Yellows resistant.					

#### Green Varieties

	¼ oz.	½ oz.	Oz.	¼ lb.	1 lb.
362 EMERSON PASCAL. Blight Resistant, Highest Quality. ...	.50	.85	1.55	5.25	18.00
Early, blight resistant. Unusually tender and brittle with smooth thick stems and good length. Distinctive foliage. Plant close (5 to 6 in.) for most erect growth.					
377 SUMMER PASCAL. Original Strain. ....	.45	.75	1.40	4.50	15.00
378 SUMMER PASCAL. Waltham Improved. See above. ....	.45	.75	1.40	4.50	15.00
383 UTAH No. 15. ....	.45	.75	1.40	4.50	15.00
Large, vigorous late green celery of high quality. Stems broad, thick and rounded, 8 to 10 in. to joint and the growth is quite erect. This is a very popular, widely adapted celery, fine on muck and upland.					
384 UTAH 52-70. Tall, Vigorous Type. See above. ....	.70	1.15	2.15	7.10	25.00



# CUCUMBERS

¼ lb. of seed will plant about 300 hills or 200 ft. of row.  
2 lbs. per acre in hills or 3 to 4 lbs. drilled.

## 430 Marketer

### The Best Slicing Cucumber

By far the finest slicer yet developed, Marketer has the shape, size, color and yielding ability that both growers and their customers want. The smooth slender fruits are remarkably uniform and trim in appearance with beautiful dark green color, extending all the way down to the blossom end. They average 7 to 8 inches long, straight and slightly tapered at the ends. The flesh is thick with a small seed cavity.

Marketer produces tremendous yields of these slim, elegant, deep green fruit. One great advantage is that the fruit on the late pickings is just the same excellent type as on the first. For extra fancy slicers, grow our Marketer. See prices below.

## 437 Sensation Hybrid

### Heavy Yielding—Improved Type

This productive F<sub>1</sub> hybrid has been much improved in appearance and performance. The vines are large-leaved and very vigorous, standing up well all season and bearing large crops in spite of mosaic and some other diseases. The medium green fruit have good shape and appearance, not as fancy as Marketer but of very acceptable type. The heavy yields and disease resistance make it a most profitable kind to grow. Be sure to try this strain. See prices below.



ASHLEY—Dark green color.

Use ORTHOCIDE 75 SEED PROTECTANT for better stands. Control maggots in early plantings with ORTHO SEED GUARD, a highly effective insecticide-fungicide. See page 32.

## 401 Ashley (New)

### Highly Resistant to Downy Mildew

Dr. W. C. Barnes of South Carolina has developed two new downy mildew resistant cucumbers, Ashley and Stono, and both look highly promising for southern and coastal areas. Ashley is very early, a week ahead of Marketer, and has a splendid deep green color. About the size of Marketer, it is not quite as slim in shape, a little more pointed to the stem but highly attractive in appearance. Much superior to Santee, Palmetto and other resistant varieties. See prices below.

## 439 Stono (New)

### Heavy-Yielding, Mildew Resistant Slicer

Outstanding for its vine vigor and productivity, Stono is also resistant to downy mildew and is a handsome slicing variety. With us, it is slightly shorter and more blunt-ended than Marketer, not quite as deep green in color as Ashley, but dark and attractive. It matures about the same time as Marketer, and yields tremendous crops. Both Stono and Ashley are worthy of trial in mildew sections. See prices below.



MARKETER—This is the kind the buyers want.

## 432 Ohio MR 25 Pickle (New)

### Attractive Fruit—Very Resistant

Developed by the Ohio Experiment Station and the H. J. Heinz Co., this new black spined pickle is the best yet developed, we believe. It is even more resistant to mosaic than Ohio MR 17 (but is not resistant to scab or spot rot).

The fruit are slightly shorter, more blunt-ended and symmetrical than MR 17, somewhat smoother, with the same attractive medium dark color. Very uniform and handsome in all sizes and excellent for market as well as commercial pack. The large, vigorous vines bear heavily over a long period, often standing up until frost. See prices below.

## 418 Harris' Double Yield

### Early—Highly Popular Type

An old favorite Harris variety, Double Yield is early and a good yielder, producing smooth, handsome, dark green pickles of uniform type. Both as pickles and small cucumbers, they are straight and blunt-ended with a smooth cylindrical shape. They are less warted and darker in color than most commercial pickling types.

If kept picked, the vines produce abundant crops, and they start to bear while the plants are still small. See prices below.

	Oz.	¼ lb.	lb.	5 lbs. or more @	25 lbs. or more @
401 ASHLEY (New). Beautiful Dark Color—Mildew Resistant. See above.....	\$.55	\$1.65	\$4.75	\$4.50	\$4.25
405 CHINA. Extra Long Fruit of High Quality.....	.55	1.45	4.00	.....	.....
Grows up to 15 or 20 in. long, usually curved with rather light green color. Not a market type, but has a delicate flavor that is often much appreciated. Vigorous and disease resistant.					
416 GREEN THUMB PICKLE. Smooth, Dark Green Fruit....	.35	.90	2.50	2.35	.....
A white-spined Double Yield type, early and productive, with cylindrical shape, blunt, rounded ends and dark green color.					
418 HARRIS' DOUBLE YIELD. Fine for Pickles. See above..	.30	.80	2.25	2.10	2.00
430 MARKETER. The Outstanding Slicer. See above.....	.35	.85	2.50	2.25	2.00
50 lbs. or more @ \$1.75					
434 NIAGARA. Highly Mosaic Resistant Slicer.....	.35	1.00	3.00	2.90	2.75
Excellent mosaic resistance. Long blunt-ended fruit, nearly cylindrical with glossy dark green color. Fruit are sometimes scarred and curved, but Niagara is well liked by many growers in mosaic areas.					
435 OHIO MR 17. Mosaic-Resistant Pickle.....	.30	.80	2.35	2.15	2.00
Good mosaic resistance, heavy yields and fruit of excellent type. Slightly longer than Ohio MR 25, nearly cylindrical with blunt ends and fairly dark color. Makes a fine uniform pack.					
432 OHIO MR 25 (New). Fine Pickling Type. See above...	.35	.85	2.50	2.35	2.25
437 SENSATION HYBRID. Very Prolific. See above.....	3.50	11.00	35.00	.....	.....
439 STONO (New). Tremendous Yields—Mildew Resistant. See above.....	.50	1.50	4.50	4.25	.....
438 STRAIGHT EIGHT. Early Slicer.....	.35	.85	2.50	2.35	2.25
A very early slicer, producing heavily when others are just beginning to bear. Smooth straight blunt-ended fruit but only fair color. Often profitable.					
445 WISCONSIN SMR 12 (New). Resists Scab and Mosaic. Highly resistant to both scab (spot rot) and mosaic and a heavy yielder of firm, attractive, well-shaped pickles. Fruit of National Pickle type, lighter colored than the Ohio strains and excellent for processing. Developed by Dr. J. C. Walker of Wisconsin.	.35	.95	2.75	2.50	.....

## CHICORY—French Endive

386 WITLOOF CHICORY. Special Forcing Strain. An exceptionally fine strain, especially selected to produce the highest percentage of perfect heads when forced.

Oz. 50c; ¼ lb. \$1.40; lb. \$4.25.

## COLLARDS

### 392 VATES (New).

An excellent variety developed by the Virginia Truck Experiment Station. More dwarf-growing and compact; greater uniformity than the older types.

Oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 60; lb. \$1.60;  
5 lbs. or more @ \$1.40; 25 lbs. or more @ \$1.30.

## CORN SALAD

### 393 LARGE ROUND-LEAVED. Dark Green Strain.

The leaves are uniformly large and dark green. Finest quality imported seed.

Oz. 35c; ¼ lb. 85c; lb. \$2.50;  
5 lbs. or more @ \$2.25.

## CRESS

### 396 EXTRA FINE CURLED, Pepper Grass.

A hardy quick growing annual, producing an abundance of dark green leaves.

Oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 55c; lb. \$1.50.

### 398 WATERCRESS, Improved Broad Leaved.

A much better strain than the common wild Watercress. Excellent for forcing.

½ Oz. 55c; Oz. 95c; ¼ lb. \$3.00; lb. \$9.00.





#### NORTH STAR

Great vigor, earliness and good size all make North Star the growers' first choice.

#### 132 Northern Cross

Outstanding for Market (73 days)

See Photo on Back Cover

The beautiful market appearance, unusual vigor and tremendous yields of our Northern Cross have created a great demand among many of the largest and best growers. Northern Cross is a second-early hybrid, ripening just after Golden Beauty and has a husky, strong-growing plant distinguished by its dark tassels and silks.

The good-sized symmetrical ears have smooth dark green husks with many long flag leaves, giving a wonderful fresh look for local markets or shipping. The 8 in. ears are cylindrical, perfectly filled to the tip with 12 rows of rather small kernels of bright yellow color.

Not resistant to wilt but can be well protected by spraying. See prices on next page.

#### 109 F-M Cross (Fore-Most Y 1)

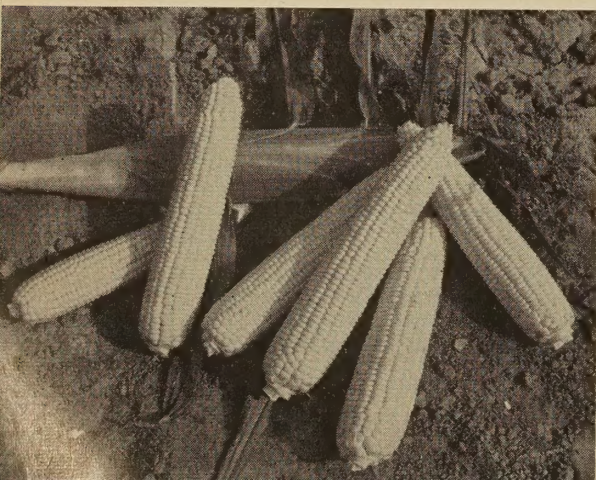
Small-Grained Market Type (79 days)

Many markets now require fine-grained kernels on a good-sized ear, and F-M Cross is just right for this need. Resistant to wilt and very productive, it matures several days ahead of Golden Cross Bantam and has attractive smooth bright husks, good flag leaves and adequate tip coverage.

The husked ears are  $7\frac{1}{2}$  to  $8\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, well filled with 14 to 16 rows of narrow, tight-packed kernels of bright appetizing appearance and high quality. A specialists' corn, F-M Cross needs plenty of fertilizer and irrigation if possible to get the best results. Highly recommended small kernel type. See prices on next page.

#### F-M CROSS

Large ears, small kernels.



## SWEET CORN

One pound of seed will plant 350 to 400 hills; 10 to 12 lbs. will plant an acre.

#### 138 Sun-Up—The First to Market (65 days)

Sun-Up is our earliest market hybrid and is very popular for extra early crops. It is usually ready to pick a few days before North Star, and the ears are  $6\frac{1}{2}$  inches long with 10 or 12 rows of broad plump kernels with remarkable sweetness for this season.

This exclusive Harris' variety is grown from a three-way cross, and it combines earliness, vigor, good quality and size in the first-early season. (Little resistance to wilt, needs spray protection.) See prices on next page.

#### 130 North Star

Still the Best for Early Market (67 days)

Now universally recognized as the finest early variety, our North Star is truly a great corn. Developed and sold only by us, it is still the largest and most profitable kind to grow for the higher priced early market.

North Star is bred for early planting and makes a rapid vigorous growth even under tough, cold weather conditions. The sturdy plants bear quantities of large, handsome ears, dark green in color with plenty of blades or flag leaves.

The kernels are deep creamy gold, tender and sweet, and the ears are fully seven inches long, mostly 12-rowed and filled right to the tip. The large thick husks make them fresh and attractive looking. Altogether a wonderful hybrid for all growers of early corn. See prices on next page.

Caution: North Star is not resistant to wilt (Stewart's disease) but can be protected by a thorough spray program. For weed control we suggest a pre-emergence spray instead of 2,4-D.



#### CARMELCROSS

Second-early—fine big ears.

#### 103 Barbecue

Early-Midseason—Choice Quality (75 days)

Another fine hybrid from Dr. Lachman in Massachusetts, Barbecue matures just after Carmelcross and before Hoosier Gold, bringing top quality corn earlier than ever before. The smooth bright husks are slender, trim and attractive but rather small for markets preferring large ears. The delicious sweet flavor and tenderness make it a favorite for roadside stands, however, and the uniformly well-shaped ears have fine sales appeal. They average about 8 in. long with 12 even rows of rich golden kernels, fully as delicious as the famous Golden Cross. It is moderately resistant to wilt. See prices on next page.

#### The Wilt Situation

Last year the combination of a cold winter and a hot summer virtually eliminated wilt damage in most sections. The danger is still present for 1956, however, and we urge growers to keep in touch with state college recommendations for control of flea beetles, or write us in March.

#### 112 Golden Beauty

Fine Wilt-Resistant Early Hybrid (70 days)

The new Golden Beauty introduced last year proved valuable as a high quality, wilt-resistant corn maturing just after North Star. Developed by Dr. W. H. Lachman of Mass. and an All-America winner, it has somewhat slender but well-proportioned ears and tight smooth husks with good color and fair flag leaves. The ears are 7 in. long when husked, usually well-filled to the tips, with 12 or 14 rows of medium sized, refined kernels, bright in color, tender and sweet.

Though much more resistant to wilt than North Star, Golden Beauty should be sprayed for full protection if a severe wilt year is forecast. See prices on next page.



#### GOLDEN BEAUTY

Smooth and attractive—ready early.

#### 107 Carmelcross

Large Ears, Fine Quality (72 days)

Highly popular second-early hybrid, very widely adapted. The ears are large, 8 to  $8\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, closely filled with 12 to 16 even rows of broad golden kernels, delicious to eat. The large husks cover the tip well and the size and quality make them desirable for market.

The dwarf stocky plants are well adapted for spraying or dusting and they yield well under a wide range of conditions. We feel that our Carmelcross has better size, uniformity and wilt resistance than most strains. See prices on next page.

#### 115 Golden Cross Bantam

Standard Midseason Type (84 days)

For many years this famous hybrid has been the most widely-grown corn for market and canning and it is still a good one to grow. The plants are vigorous and productive of medium-large ears (8 in. long) uniform and of fine quality (surpassed for eating only by our new Wonderful).

Our strain produces attractive marketable ears, well-filled to the tip and bearing 12 to 14 straight, even rows of medium-sized kernels. Unfortunately, it has little wilt-resistance and we suggest Golden Harvest in wilt areas. See prices on next page.



### 145 Wonderful (New)—Harris' Finest Flavored Corn—Absolutely the Best to Eat (81 days)

"Wonderful to eat," says everyone who tried this deliciously sweet, tender new Harris corn last year. When well grown, it is large and handsome enough to sell on stands and local markets and we urge growers with a real quality trade to try it.

The husks are long and medium-slender with good flags, and the 8 to 9 in. ears are tapered or pointed to the tip. The kernels are small, closely packed, often with uneven row count from 12 to 16 or more (see photo). But the taste is the wonderful feature—tender pericarp, creamy texture, rich sweet flavor. It matures just ahead of Golden Cross and holds well in prime condition. For the best eating corn, grow Wonderful. Moderate wilt resistance. See prices below.



DOUBLE DUTY

Big crops of very attractive ears.

### 117 Golden Harvest

An Improved Golden Cross (84 days)

Similar to Golden Cross in season, type and quality, Golden Harvest has several advantages: better seedling vigor, greater wilt resistance, and darker, more attractive husks. The plants are 6 in. taller with more rugged growth and just as heavy yields.

The 8 in. ears are remarkably uniform, cylindrical and well filled to the tips and have the advantage of white silks. The husks are smooth, dark and fresh looking. Tender and sweet, the golden kernels are practically the equal of Golden Cross in quality, and because of its resistance to wilt, Golden Harvest is much safer to grow. See prices below.

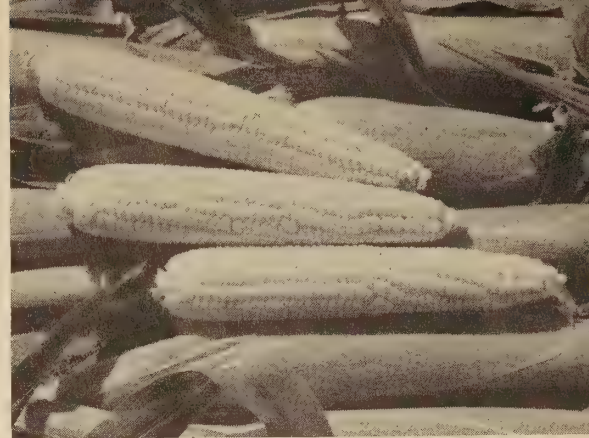
### 108 Double Duty

Great Yields of Handsome Ears (86 days)

This main crop hybrid is a top yielder and should be more widely grown, we believe. The seedling vigor has now been greatly improved and the tall plants frequently bear two fine ears. The long tip coverage, dark smooth husks and abundant flag leaves provide a ready sale. The small deep glossy kernels are well-arranged in 14 to 16 rows and the tips are well-filled. Altogether, an excellent market type, vigorous, and with good wilt resistance. See prices below.



IOCHIEF—Best large-eared main crop corn.



WONDERFUL—Grow this where quality counts.

### 122 Iochief

Fine-Grained, Wilt-Resistant (85 days)

Now one of the most widely grown midseason hybrids, Iochief makes a big attractive ear with 14 to 20 rows of narrow, close-packed, very deep kernels which have a bright, appetizing look and a clear golden color.

The ears are large, 8 to 9 in. long, slightly tapered and well wrapped in a good husk, and they mature just after Golden Cross. The plants are highly wilt resistant and drouth tolerant, and the husky well-rooted stalks grow erect with few suckers.

A wonderful main crop corn, Iochief's only fault is that it is hard to pick. Prices below.

### 143 White Silked Iochief (Iosquaw)

New Strain—Large Attractive Ears (85 days)

Many growers prefer the white silks, more even rows and smoother husks of this strain to the regular Iochief. The ears have the same bright glossy color, small deep kernels and high quality but are even better looking. In the husks they are thicker and more attractive. The plants are somewhat larger with more tillering.

Unfortunately, it is not wilt resistant and a thorough spray program is recommended. Like Iochief, it is hard to pick. Prices below.

EXTRA REASONS FOR GROWING HARRIS' SWEET CORN: All these money-saving services are FREE.

- 1—Double strength seed treatment for better stands.
- 2—Graded seed for accurate planting.
- 3—Planter plate suggestions (on orders over 5 lbs.).
- 4—No charge for bags.
- 5—Free delivery by freight if your total seed order is over \$20.00.

NOT PREPAID: Sweet Corn and Pop Corn are shipped at your expense unless your vegetable seed order is \$20.00 or more. We then prepay freight charges. See inside front cover.

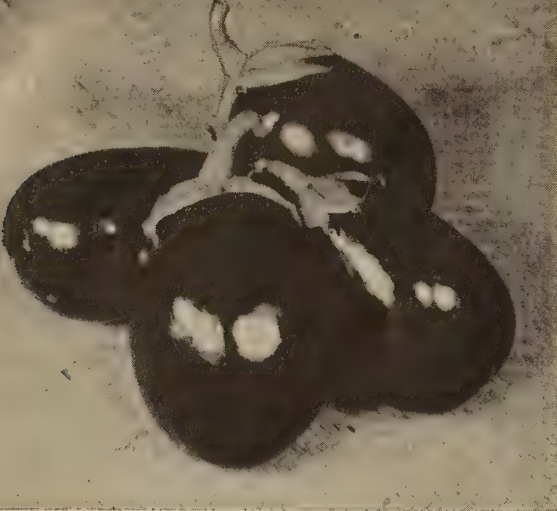
	FLAT KERNELS			THICK KERNELS* (See box below)				
	10 lb.	25 lb. or more @	500 lb. or more @	lb.	5 lb.	10 lb.	25 lb. or more @	500 lb. or more @
103 BARBECUE. Slim Attractive Ears. (75 days) See preceding page.....	\$5.10	45c	44c	\$ .70	\$2.60	\$4.80	41c	40c
107 CARMELCROSS. Large-Eared, Second Early. (72 days) See preceding page..	4.70	41c	39c	.65	2.40	4.30	36c	35c
108 DOUBLE DUTY. For Main Crop Market. (86 days) See above.....	5.30	47c	46c	.65	2.55	4.80	42c	41c
109 F-M CROSS. (79 days) Small-grain Market Type. See preceding page.....	5.80	52c	50c	.75	2.85	5.40	47c	46c
112 GOLDEN BEAUTY (New). (70 days) See preceding page.....	5.00	44c	43c	.65	2.45	4.60	40c	39c
115 GOLDEN CROSS BANTAM. (84 days) See preceding page.....	4.90	43c	42c	.65	2.40	4.50	38c	37c
117 GOLDEN HARVEST. Quality and Appearance. (84 days) See above.....	5.00	44c	43c	.65	2.45	4.60	39c	38c
119 HOOSIER GOLD. Early-Midseason Variety. (77 days).....	5.00	44c	43c	.65	2.45	4.60	39c	38c
Cylindrical 9-in. ears of fine sweetness and flavor. Big smooth attractive husks. Requires high fertility and irrigation to fill tips in some areas. Moderate wilt resistance.								
122 IOCHIEF. High Quality. Small Kernels. (85 days) See above.....	5.30	47c	45c	.70	2.60	4.80	41c	40c
123 IOANA. Wilt-Resistant Main Crop Type. (86 days).....	4.80	42c	40c	.60	2.30	4.30	35c	34c
Fine market and shipping variety. Husky and productive with well-filled ears, attractive dark husks.								
130 NORTH STAR. Still the Finest Early Hybrid. (67 days) See preceding page..	5.80	52c	50c	.75	2.85	5.40	47c	46c
132 NORTHERN CROSS. (73 days) Very Popular for Market. See preceding page	5.80	52c	50c	.75	2.85	5.40	47c	46c
138 SUN-UP. First Early. (65 days) See preceding page.....	5.50	49c	47c	.70	2.60	4.90	43c	42c
143 WHITE SILKED IOCHIEF. (85 days) See above.....	5.30	47c	45c	.70	2.60	4.80	41c	40c
145 WONDERFUL (New). Best-Tasting Corn. (81 days) See above.....	6.10	55c	...	.85	2.95	5.60	50c	...

\*THICK KERNELS. Just as productive as the flats but not as even in size. Supplied on orders of less than 10 lbs. and a real bargain in larger quantities.

### POP CORN 8 lbs. will plant an acre.

	1 lb.	5 lb.	10 lb.	25 lbs. or more @
146 GOLDEN PEARL (Hybrid). Fine Early Yellow.....	\$ .60	\$2.25	\$4.10	35c
Small rounded kernels, fine popping quality. Big yielder.				
147 HYBRID HULLESS (Minhybrid). Extra Early.....	.75	3.45	6.40	60c
Ears small; deep hullless white kernels. Best for North.				
148 MINNESOTA V45 (New). Improved Hybrid Hullless Type.....	1.10	5.00	9.50	90c
Stronger plants, better yields of plump ears. Highly recommended.				





BLACK MAGIC HYBRID EGG PLANT

EGG PLANT An ounce produces about 2000 plants.

462 Black Magic Hybrid

Hybrid Vigor Gives Wonderful Crops

This remarkable F1 hybrid is the best egg plant we know, early, dependable and highly productive all season. The vines are fairly tall and spreading and so husky that most fruit are held off the ground. The medium-sized oval fruit have an excellent glossy dark color before fully grown and the vines produce continuously over a long period, from early until frost. See prices below.

461 Black Beauty

This standard variety produces good crops of handsome deep purple fruit, broad oval in shape. It has been widely grown but is now surpassed by our Black Magic Hybrid. See prices below.

Table with 4 columns: Variety Name, Oz., 1/4 Lb., Lb. Rows include 461 Black Beauty, 462 Black Magic Hybrid, 463 Early Long Purple, and 465 New Hampshire.

ENDIVE An ounce sows about 100 feet, 2 to 3 lbs. per acre.

473 Full Heart Batavian—Escarolle—Dark Green Strain

This is by far the most successful market endive, and our strain is excellent. It is the true dark green Escarolle with broad leaves and deep compact hearts that blanch readily to a beautiful golden color. The plants are quick-growing and uniform, producing fine, large heads, tightly packed with thick, slightly curled and crumpled leaves. Tender, sweet and with no bitterness, it is usually considered the highest quality endive. Widely used for fall crops. See prices below.

Table with 5 columns: Variety Name, Oz., 1/4 Lb., Lb., 5 lbs. or more @. Rows include 473 Full Heart Batavian, 477 Green Curled, and 478 Green Curled Pencilier.

French Endive—Witloof Chicory—see under Chicory on page 7.

GARLIC

Separate the bulbs into flakes or "cloves" and set out like onion sets. Bulbs for planting:

Lb. 75c; 5 Lb. or more @ 70c per Lb. postpaid. 25 Lbs. or more @ 55c per Lb., not prepaid.

HERBS for Flavoring, Etc.

Table with 4 columns: Variety Name, Oz., 1/4 Lb., Lb. Rows include 931 Basil, 933 Borage, 458 Dill, 939 Lavender, 943 Sage, 945 Summer Savory, 947 Sweet Marjoram, and 949 Thyme.



VATES OR DWARF CURLED KALE

KALE

Two pounds of seed will sow about one acre.

487 VATES or Dwarf Curled.

By far the best type. Uniform, finely curled leaves of splendid dark bluish-green color. Does not turn yellow in cold weather. From the Virginia Truck Experiment Station.

Oz. 35c; 1/4 Lb. 85c; Lb. \$2.50; 5 Lbs. or more @ \$2.30 per Lb.

489 SIBERIAN. Also called "Early Sprouts."

Plants very large and spreading, leaves broad and thick, curled only at the edges. Color blue green. Very hardy and used largely for wintering over.

Oz. 30c; 1/4 Lb. 75c; Lb. \$2.20; 5 Lbs. or more @ \$2.00 per Lb.

KOHLRABI

1 oz. sows about 200 feet.

492 EARLY WHITE VIENNA. The Finest Strain.

We offer an exceptionally uniform, early short-topped strain of this popular variety. It is adapted for growing under glass as well as outdoor use. The tops are small with few leaves and the bulbs mature quickly. Nearly round in shape, very even in size and of excellent quality.

Oz. 45c; 1/4 Lb. \$1.20; Lb. \$3.50; 5 Lbs. or more @ \$3.25.

DANDELION or Chicory

452 ITALIAN DANDELION. (Cicoria Catalogna.) Rapid growing type for spring planting. Young leaves and seed stalks are harvested. Oz. 50c; 1/4 Lb. \$1.40; Lb. \$4.50; 5 Lbs. or more @ \$4.25 per Lb.

453 LARGE THICK LEAF.

A uniform strain of the cultivated dandelion, vigorous in growth, upright with good hearts.

Oz. \$1.20; 1/4 Lb. \$3.75; Lb. \$12.00.

DILL

458 LONG ISLAND MAMMOTH.

Popular, highly productive type, plants about 2 1/2 ft. tall.

Oz. 15c; 1/4 Lb. 40c; Lb. \$1.10; 5 Lbs. or more @ \$1.00 per Lb.

FENNEL

1 oz. plants 100 feet of row; 3 lbs. per acre.

480 GIANT EARLY (New).

This unusual strain is valuable for early harvest because it quickly grows large thick rounded bulbs. Plants widely branched and spreading. Should be harvested promptly when ready.

Oz. 70c; 1/4 Lb. \$1.95; Lb. \$6.50; 5 Lbs. or more @ \$6.25.

482 MAMMOTH.

This later-maturing strain is preferred for main crop as it holds up well. Plants erect, fairly large thick bulbs. Highly recommended.

Oz. 35c; 1/4 Lb. 95c; Lb. \$2.75; 5 Lbs. or more @ \$2.50.



FULL HEART BATAVIAN ENDIVE

LEEK

An ounce of seed will sow about 200 feet of row.

498 SWISS SPECIAL. Hardy and Vigorous.

A large, vigorous and attractive strain with long broad, clear white stalks, definitely superior to the old Elephant. Highly recommended.

Oz. 65c; 1/4 Lb. \$1.85; Lb. \$6.00.



EARLY WHITE VIENNA KOHLRABI



# LETTUCE

An ounce of seed will sow 250 feet of row; about 2 lbs. per acre.

## 508 Cornell 456—Best for Muck—Withstands Summer Heat

Cornell 456 is still the standard variety for muck-growing in the East and is now also widely grown on mineral soils. A hard-heading, medium-sized Iceberg type, it is one of the most resistant to bolting and tip-burn, and it produces a high percentage of fine clean heads even under difficult conditions.

Our strain is noted for its uniformity, even maturity and dependability. It is adapted for our Eastern conditions and is one of our most popular varieties. Earlier than Great Lakes, it has an attractive glossy color and is very firm. See prices below.

## 533 Pennlake—Best Early Lettuce for Upland

Upland growers find our Pennlake without equal for early planting, for it regularly produces the finest, cleanest, most uniform crops they have ever grown. Outstanding for earliness and large compact heads, it cuts a high percentage at one time. Its rather smooth, dark green leaves protect the head well, and it has fine quality. Not quite as large as Great Lakes, but preferred by many for its earliness and uniformity. Highly recommended. See prices below.



PENNLAKE—Early and uniform.

## 520 Great Lakes

*Tip-Burn Resistant and Long-Standing*

Upland lettuce growers usually prefer this standard Great Lakes for midsummer use, because it produces big clean hard heads under a wide range of conditions. It is highly resistant to tip-burn and very slow to bolt.

The leaves are crisp, thick and dark green with heavy ribs and make large, solid heads. Planted in the spring, they are ready about a week later than Cornell 456, but can stand without cutting a long time. See prices below.

## 521 Great Lakes 659

The heads mature earlier than the regular Great Lakes and are somewhat smaller. The dark green leaves are more heavily blistered and come up closely around the heads. A very popular and successful strain and we greatly regret that our supply is entirely sold out.



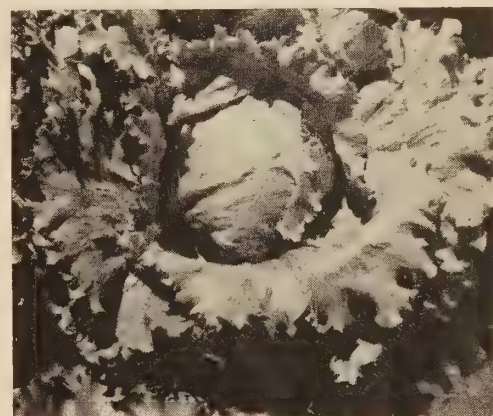
CORNELL 456

Many expert growers prefer our strain for both muck and upland growing.

	Oz.	¼ lb.	lb.	5 lbs. or more @
502 BIBB. Grown for Its Delicious Flavor. . . . .	\$.40	\$1.10	\$3.25	\$3.00
An old favorite, best adapted for forcing and early spring crops, as it bolts very quickly in hot weather. Small, loosely folded heads with dark green outer leaves, blanching to yellow inside. Very tender and delicate flavor.				
504 BLACK SEEDED SIMPSON. . . . .	.30	.80	2.25	2.10
Widely grown loose leaf type. Broad light green leaves.				
508 CORNELL 456. Hard, Clean Heads. See above. . . . .	.65	1.85	5.75	5.50
517 GRAND RAPIDS. Popular Loose Leaf Type. . . . .	.25	.75	2.25	2.15
Used by many critical growers for outdoor as well as greenhouse growing. The leaves are light green and uniformly well curled.				
518 GRAND RAPIDS U.S. No. 1. . . . .	.30	.80	2.35	2.20
A distinct, very finely curled strain, preferred by many growers. Stands longer than other Grand Rapids types.				
519 GRAND RAPIDS TIP-BURN RESISTANT H5-4 (New). See at right. . . . .	.30	.80	2.35	2.20
520 GREAT LAKES. Very Long Standing. See above. . . . .	.65	1.80	5.50	5.25
521 GREAT LAKES 659 (New) . . . . .	Sold Out			
533 PENNLAKE. Highly Recommended For Upland. See above. . . . .	.70	1.90	5.75	5.50
534 PREMIER GREAT LAKES. Refined, Slightly Earlier Strain. . . . .	.65	1.75	5.50	5.25
The large uniform heads are solid and mature very evenly. Smoother-leaved, slightly less tip-burn resistant than the regular, but preferred for its earliness and uniformity.				
539 SLOBOLT. Long-Standing Grand Rapids Type. . . . .	.50	1.50	4.50	4.25
Stands far longer than other loose-leaf types. Thick clusters of curly leaves. Not adapted for greenhouse growing but increasingly popular for outdoors.				
541 SALAD BOWL. Distinctive Loose Leaf Type. . . . .	.65	1.65	4.75	4.50
A wonderful loose-leaf variety, unusually attractive, fine flavored and very long standing. Its notched and curled bright green leaves form a distinctive, compact rosette that will stand a long time even in hot weather. Adapted for prepackaging.				
542 WHITE BOSTON. Special Strain, Dependable Producer. . . . .	.35	.85	2.50	2.35
There is no better strain than ours. Large headed and so uniform that there is practically no waste in cutting the crop.				

## COS OR ROMAINE

535 PARRIS ISLAND. Dark Green—Mosaic Resistant. See at right. . . . .	.45	1.25	3.75	3.50
540 TRIANON SELF-FOLDING. Long Uniform Heads. . . . .	.30	.80	2.25	2.00
The standard lighter green type, uniform and of fine quality.				



GREAT LAKES—Withstands hot weather.

## 519 Grand Rapids Tip-Burn Resistant (New)

*Uniform—Tightly Curled—Fine Dark Color*

This is the new H5-4 strain developed by Dr. I. C. Hoffman of Ohio primarily for greenhouse growing. It is resistant to tip-burn under glass and also well adapted to outdoor use. The plants are slightly more uniform in size, more evenly frilled and make a heavier, more compact growth than the regular. Erect and of fine dark green color, this new strain makes an attractive pack and we recommend it. See prices at left.

## 535 Parris Island Cos

*Mosaic Resistant*

An excellent dark green strain, mosaic resistant and slow bolting, that produces large uniform heads of a most desirable type. Slightly later than Trianon, its dark color is preferred on the market and it is a rugged, dependable producer. See prices at left.

## MUSHROOM SPAWN

Prepared with dried and crumbled tobacco stems. Easy to handle, goes farther in planting and helps repel insects. ½ lb. spawns 35 sq. ft. Full directions with order.

½ Lb. \$1.45; 1 Lb. \$2.75; 5 Lbs. or more at \$2.50 per Lb. Write for quotations on larger quantities.

## OKRA or Gumbo

Ounce of seed will sow about 50 feet of row.

597 EMERALD. A vigorous, heavy yielding type developed by Campbell Soup Co. Pods of good size, dark green, smoothly rounded instead of ribbed.

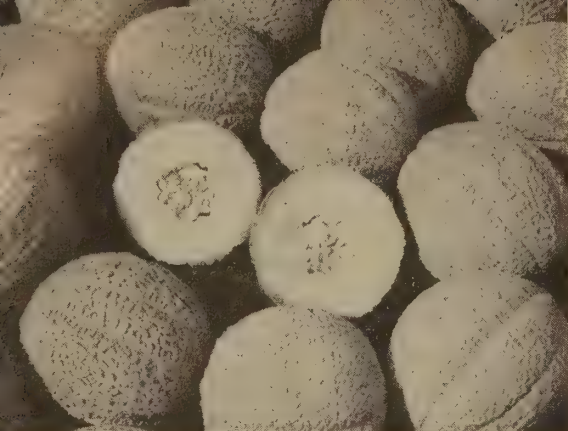
Oz. 20c; ¼ Lb. 50c; 1 Lb. \$1.25;  
5 Lbs. or more @ \$1.10.

## MUSTARD

An ounce will sow about 300 feet.

	Oz.	¼ lb.	lb.	5 lbs. or more @
594 FORDHOOK FANCY. . . . .	\$.15	\$.45	\$1.25	\$1.15
Handsome, upright-growing variety with bright green leaves, deeply fringed and cut.				
595 LONG STANDING. (Southern Curled). . . . .	.15	.45	1.25	1.15
Early, vigorous variety, yet stands a remarkably long time without bolting to seed. The large medium-green leaves are crumpled, beautifully fringed and curled. Mild delicious flavor.				





HARVEST QUEEN—Tough shell—firm, sweet flesh.

### 567 Honey Rock, Fusarium Resistant

One of our recent introductions, this fusarium resistant strain is excellent wherever Honey Rock is grown. It is an early, medium-sized oval melon with heavy netting, 4 to 5 lbs. in weight and the fine-textured flesh is very sweet. Uniform and a heavy yielder. We find it best if picked at "half-slip" stage. Highly recommended. See prices below.



IROQUOIS—Attractive and dependable.

## MUSKMELONS

An ounce of seed will plant about 50 hills;  
2½ to 3 lbs. per acre.

### 560 Delicious 51—Best Early Melon

Resistance to fusarium wilt has been added to this famous early melon, long noted for its large size and sweet flavor. It ripens a week or more before Iroquois and the round or slightly oval fruit are finely netted and moderately ribbed. The orange flesh is juicy and very sweet. Not a shipping type but ideal for roadside stands and local markets. See prices below.

### 565 Harvest Queen

#### The Leading Market and Shipping Melon

One of the greatest achievements of our plant breeders, Harvest Queen is rated the finest melon yet developed in many sections. It is a fusarium resistant Queen of Colorado type, slightly earlier and yields better. The oval melons are medium sized, just right for crating and shipping, with a thick ropy net covering the hard rind. They ripen from blue gray to golden yellow. The deep orange, extra thick flesh is fine textured and very firm with a delicious sweet musky flavor. The quality is still excellent five or six days after picking. See prices below.

### 569 Iroquois—Large and Uniform—High Quality

Increasingly popular in the Middle West and the leading market variety for the Northeast, Iroquois is an excellent larger-fruited type, resistant to fusarium wilt, and very attractive and delicious.

The fruits are medium-large, round to oval in shape with prominent ribs and good netting; the rind is tough and holds up well in handling and shipping. The fine textured, thick flesh is deep orange with consistently high flavor and sweetness. It ripens in mid-season and is very prolific. See prices below.

	Oz.	¼ lb.	lb.	5 lbs. or more @
560 DELICIOUS 51. Fine New Resistant Strain. See above.....	\$.50	\$1.50	\$4.50	\$4.25
564 GOLDEN DELIGHT. Larger Melons of Excellent Type.....	.50	1.35	4.00	3.75
Fruit are large, oval to somewhat long, well netted, with thick flesh of wonderful flavor. Ripens almost as early as Iroquois. Popular where the larger size is desired.				
565 HARVEST QUEEN (New). Fusarium Resistant. See above.....	.65	1.80	5.50	5.25
566 HEARTS OF GOLD (Large Strain).....	.35	.85	2.50	2.25
A fine melon for shipping, medium in size, round and well netted. Flesh thick, orange yellow, of uniformly excellent flavor. Our stock is the large strain of this well known variety.				
567 HONEY ROCK, Fusarium Resistant. See above.....	.50	1.35	4.00	3.75
25 lbs. or more @ \$3.50.				
569 IROQUOIS. High Quality—Big Yields. See above.....	.50	1.35	4.00	3.75
25 lbs. or more @ \$3.50.				
570 MARKET KING. Harris' Main Crop Shipping Melon.....	.50	1.35	4.00	3.75
Our own strain of Queen of Colorado type, with uniform oval shape and wonderful quality. Tough rind, heavy netting, firm deep flesh. Bears heavily where seasons are fairly long.				
575 SCHOON'S HARD SHELL or New Yorker.....	.35	1.00	3.00	2.75
Similar to Queen of Colorado but larger, it has an oval shape with a very hard rind and good netting. The flesh is thick and has an excellent flavor. Heavy yielding, rather late variety.				

## WATERMELONS

An ounce of seed will plant about 25 hills;  
2 to 3 pounds to the acre.

### 586 New Hampshire Midget

#### Extra-Early—Icebox Size

Highly popular "Icebox" watermelon, extra-early and very productive. Fruit 5 or 6 in. in diam., oval with very thin rind of mottled green color. Red flesh, black seeds, fair quality; must be picked promptly when ripe. Ours is a true strain. See prices below.

### 578 Charleston Gray (New)

#### Excellent Shipper

Large, long, high quality gray-green watermelon developed at the U.S.D.A. Breeding Station, S. C. Resistant to anthracnose and fusarium wilt, quite free of hollow heart. Promises to be the leading melon for the South, excellent shipper; valuable in other areas with fairly long seasons. Prices below.

RHODE ISLAND RED (left) and  
CALIFORNIA HONEY (right)



### 589 Rhode Island Red

#### Fine Striped Watermelon for the North

Now the most popular variety we sell, Rhode Island Red is a handsome well-flavored kind, very early and productive in the areas with short growing seasons. The attractive oval fruit are medium-sized, 8 to 12 lb. normally and larger under good conditions, and the firm rind stands handling well. The bright pink-red flesh is smooth and fine-textured with rich sweet taste. There are comparatively few seeds, dark brown to tan in color. One of the best early melons. See prices below.

### 579 California Honey or Early Arizona

#### New Early Melon of Top Quality

Wonderful for short season areas, the two above named varieties appear identical to us and we are listing them as one type. The strong vigorous vines produce abundant crops of round to oval fruit, slightly smaller than Rhode Island Red and of even higher quality. The dark green rind is smooth and firm and the flesh bright scarlet with dark brown seeds. Unusually high in sugar, solid, crisp and perfectly delicious. Highly recommended. See prices below.

	Oz.	¼ lb.	lb.	5 lbs. or more @
578 CHARLESTON GRAY. New Main Crop Type. See above.....	\$.45	\$1.20	\$3.50	\$3.25
579 CALIFORNIA HONEY or Early Arizona. See above.....	.45	1.20	3.50	3.25
581 DIXIE QUEEN. Popular Market and Shipping Type.....	.35	.85	2.50	2.35
Large, nearly round fruit, light green with dark stripes. Early and productive, pink-red flesh. White seeded.				
582 HONEY CREAM. Sweet Yellow Flesh.....	.50	1.35	4.00	3.75
Extra-early round fruit, attractively striped and with creamy yellow flesh, outstanding for its sugary sweet flavor. Yields very well in the North, ideal for roadside stands and local markets.				
583 KLONDIKE. Black Seeded. Top Quality.....	.35	.85	2.50	2.35
Fairly large, oblong, dark green fruit with crisp, fine-textured flesh of excellent quality. Thin rind. Flesh bright scarlet.				
586 NEW HAMPSHIRE MIDGET. Increasingly Popular. See above....	.35	1.00	3.00	2.75
589 RHODE ISLAND RED. Early—High Quality. See above.....	.50	1.35	4.00	3.75
588 WINTER QUEEN. White Skin—Long Keeper.....	.30	.75	2.25	2.15
580 CITRON or Colorado Preserving. Green seeded.....	.25	.75	2.00	1.90



# ONIONS

An ounce of seed will sow 125 feet of row.  
It requires 4 to 6 lbs. of seed per acre.

## NEW U.S.D.A. HYBRID ONIONS

Dr. Henry A. Jones of the U.S.D.A., the nation's foremost onion breeder, has developed several excellent new hybrids for the East and Mid-West which we expect to offer next year. Some **EPOCH** and **ENCORE** were grown in 1955 but advance sales have booked all available seed.

For 1957, we have under production:

**ELITE.** A heavy yielding, well-colored globe hybrid, outstanding in New York and Ohio.

**ARISTOCRAT.** Large storage hybrid, good yielder, appears widely adapted in the East.

**EPOCH.** Medium-sized, firm, round bulbs, excellent color and keeping qualities. Best in Michigan, Wisconsin, and Canada.



**BROWN BEAUTY**  
Great hybrid vigor—very attractive.

## 602 Brown Beauty

*Heavy-Yielding Hybrid*

Brown Beauty has been among the most successful of the hybrid onions we offer. Vigorous and heavy yielding, the large, firm bulbs are uniformly well shaped, nearly true globe and very smooth, and they ripen to a rich even brown color. It matures in season with Early Yellow Globe and is a big producer in many areas of New York and the Mid-West. Use Brown Beauty for fall and early winter sales, as it is not a long keeper. One of the best for yield and a handsome onion. Prices at right.

## 600 Bringham Yellow Globe

*A Dependable Variety for Storage*

This strain of Bringham Yellow Globe or "Michigan Onion" is a storage type that is very extensively grown in nearly all muck sections and is popular for upland as well. A good yielder of firm, deep-globe shaped bulbs with small necks and a heavy skin of dark color that remains in fine condition nearly all winter. A vigorous strain, uniform, hard, and well colored. Highly regarded by the better growers. See prices at right.

## 620 Sweet Spanish—Utah Strain

*Large Mild Sweet Onions of Finest Quality*

Sweet Spanish makes bigger onions of better quality than other kinds and is much more resistant to thrips and adverse conditions. Although somewhat later in maturity, it can be grown successfully from seed or greenhouse-grown plants almost anywhere in the East. Large and handsome, the onions often weigh over a pound and the flesh is white, sweet and very mild. They have a uniformly deep globe shape with small necks and heavy golden brown skin. Ours is the "jumbo" strain, selected for extra size, uniformity and quality. Highly recommended to all growers for quality markets. See prices at right.

## 618 Highlight (New)—Formerly "Spotlight"

*Harris' Superior New Hybrid Onion*

This storage hybrid of our own development is a medium-sized, firm, well-colored onion with fine keeping qualities. The bulbs are smooth and attractive in appearance with slightly flattened globe shape, small necks and a good thick skin of glossy brown color. Very uniform and a good yielder, it bulbs early and the tops go down ahead of most other hard onions, a safety factor in adverse seasons. We recommend it as a handsome Brigham type, adapted for packaging. See prices below.

## 611 Iowa 44

*Home Grown Seed—Excellent Keeper*

This stock is produced from selected bulbs grown on the Elba muck and is a popular storage variety there. The firm, medium-sized, well-colored onions are superior keepers, coming out of storage in late winter with unusually good color, firmness and quality.

The shape is an attractive globe or deep globe with small necks, and the heavy thick skin has a dark golden brown color that is even superior to Brigham. Iowa 44 is an exceptionally fine storage onion and we highly recommend it. Note: This year our seed is of very high germination. See prices below.



**HIGHLIGHT (Formerly "Spotlight")**

*Firm, fine color, a good keeper.*

## WE CAN TREAT YOUR ONION SEED

*For SMUT and MAGGOT Control*

Dr. Newhall developed this highly effective pelleting process, using a large amount of Tersan fungicide for smut plus Aldrin for maggots. On early orders for 1 lb. or more of a variety, we can supply this treatment at extra cost: 1 to 3 lbs.—\$1.75 per lb. 4 lbs. or more—\$1.65 per lb.

The seed will be treated and shipped just before planting time.

		Oz.	¼ lb.	lb.	5 lbs. or more @	25 lbs. or more @
599	<b>AUTUMN SPICE. Popular Late Hybrid.</b> .....	\$ .70	\$1.95	\$6.25	\$6.15	\$6.00
	An extra-hard, long keeping hybrid of medium size and globe shape. Small necks and thick skin of fine color. Excellent for prepackaging and general market. Early maturity, adapted in Northern Wisconsin, Michigan and Canada.					
603	<b>BELTSVILLE BUNCHING</b> .....	Sold Out				
	An excellent bunching onion from the USDA. Tall, erect tops make an attractive, fresh-looking bunch. Clear white skin, crisp flesh.					
600	<b>BRIGHAM YELLOW GLOBE. See at left.</b> .....	.45	1.25	3.75	3.65	3.50
602	<b>BROWN BEAUTY. Heavy-Yielding Hybrid. See at left.</b> ...	.95	3.00	9.00	8.50	8.25
604	<b>DOWNING YELLOW GLOBE.</b> .....	.45	1.25	3.75	3.65	3.50
	This globe-shaped, long-keeping onion resembles Brigham but is outstanding for its rich deep bronze color. Tight skin, very firm, yields well, excellent for storage.					
605	<b>EARLY YELLOW GLOBE. Standard Early Onion.</b> .....	.45	1.25	3.75	3.65	3.50
	A leader on both muck and upland. Matures early, yields well, a good keeper. Bulbs globe shaped or slightly flattened, well protected by deep yellow skin.					
607	<b>EBENEZER. Best for Sets (See Onion Sets on page 14)</b> ...	.40	1.10	3.00	2.90	2.75
	For large onions to meet the early season market demand Ebenezer grown from sets is still the best variety. Its flattened shape, fine quality, appearance and keeping qualities make it the leading onion for sets.					
618	<b>HIGHLIGHT. Harris' New Hybrid. See above.</b> .....	.85	2.55	7.75	7.50	7.25
611	<b>IOWA 44. Home Grown Seed. See above.</b> .....	.50	1.55	4.75	4.65	4.50
610	<b>JAPANESE BUNCHING. For "Scallions"</b> .....	.45	1.35	4.00	3.90	3.75
	Makes 3 to 5 large straight mild white onions to a plant, is a rapid grower and produces marketable "bunch" onions very early. When fully grown, the onions are nearly an inch in diameter.					
616	<b>SOUTHPORT RED GLOBE. The Best Red Onion.</b> .....	.50	1.40	4.25	4.15	4.00
	Large, perfectly round, deep red onion; keeps well.					
617	<b>SOUTHPORT WHITE GLOBE. The Finest White.</b> .....	.50	1.55	4.75	4.65	4.50
	Large globe shaped white onion. A very profitable variety both for bunching and mature bulbs which keep better than other white onions in storage.					
620	<b>SWEET SPANISH—Utah Strain. See at left.</b> .....	.60	1.65	5.00	4.90	4.75
624	<b>WHITE BUNCH or White Lisbon.</b> .....	.50	1.40	4.25	4.15	4.00
	Widely grown as an early bunching onion because of its vigor and strong green tops which hold up well. Mild flavor, highly recommended.					
625	<b>WHITE PORTUGAL or SILVERSKIN. For Bunching.</b> .....	.50	1.35	4.00	3.90	3.75
	Early flat, white onions of mild flavor. Excellent for pickling and early green onions, also for sets and for bunching. A very popular variety.					
626	<b>WHITE SWEET SPANISH.</b> .....	.65	1.80	5.75	5.65	5.50
	The largest and mildest white onion. Deep globe shape, small necks, very clear skin and firm white flesh. Has rapid vigorous growth and is widely used for bunching as well as mature bulbs.					

For **ONION PLANTS** and **ONION SETS**, see next page.



## ONION PLANTS—Sweet Spanish—Utah Strain

15 to 20 crates are needed per acre  
if set 4 or 5 in. apart in 18 in. rows.



SWEET SPANISH ONION PLANTS  
Fresh and vigorous—highly productive.

## ONION SETS

About 12 bushels of onion sets are  
required to plant an acre.

Harris' onion sets are clean, firm, well graded  
and true to type and are used by many par-  
ticular growers. We highly recommend them.



EBENEZER  
Solid, well-colored onions from our sets.

**980 EBENEZER. Best Yellow Sets.** ( $\frac{3}{4}$ " bar screen)  
The standard yellow variety, producing mar-  
ketable bulbs very early. Large, flattened in  
shape, uniform, and of fine quality. Good  
keepers if grown to maturity. See photo  
above.

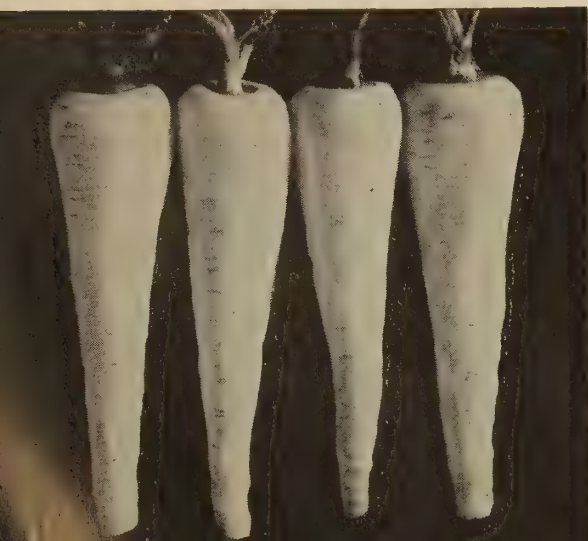
Peck \$2.55, postpaid. Not prepaid: Bu (32 lbs.)  
\$4.75; 2 bu. \$9.00; 10 bu or more @ \$4.25.

**982 WHITE or Silverskin**  
Best for bunching. Medium-sized flat onions.  
Clear white, fine appearance.

Peck \$2.65, postpaid. Not prepaid: Bu. (32 lbs.)  
\$4.95; 2 bu. \$9.40; 10 bu. or more @ \$4.45.

Please Note: Orders for onion sets may be en-  
tered at any time. They will be shipped as  
soon as we feel that the danger of freezing is  
past. Arrival in good condition guaranteed.

HARRIS' MODEL—The best strain of all.

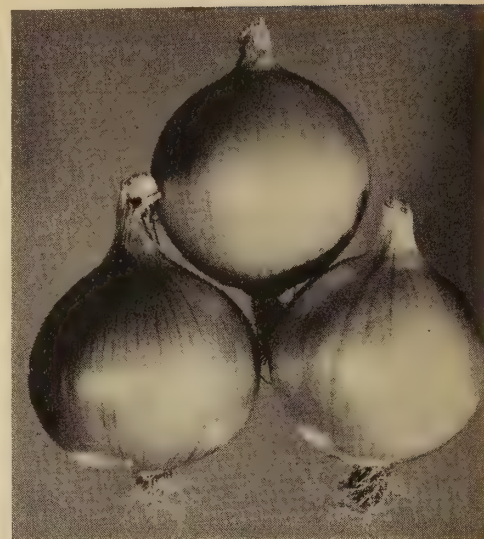


Sweet Spanish "jumbos" nearly always bring  
premium prices and Eastern growers can  
share in this profitable market by growing  
them from our plants, flown direct to us by  
chartered plane from Texas. They reach you  
in fresh vigorous condition and can be stored  
for some time.

Our true Sweet Spanish produces tremen-  
dous crops of the splendid large firm onions  
the market wants. Order early and set them  
out as soon as the land can be worked. Earlier  
plantings mean bigger crops and they will  
stand considerable frost. Plants usually avail-  
able between April 5th and May 20th.

**Please Note:** Sold in bunches only. A bunch  
is a handful as pulled in the field and may  
contain 50 to 110 or more plants, depending on  
the size.

Price: 10 bunches \$3.95 postpaid. Not prepaid,  
single crate (60 bunches) \$10.75; 4 to 9 crates  
at \$10.25 each; 10 crates or more at \$9.85 per  
crate. (Weight about 30 lbs. per crate.)



SWEET SPANISH—UTAH STRAIN  
Big onions of finest type from our plants.



PARAMOUNT  
Dark green—fine tight curl.

## PARSLEY

An ounce of seed will sow  
about 200 feet of row.

### 637 Perfection

Very Popular with Market Growers

This splendid variety wins new friends every  
year. It is a rapid, vigorous grower with long  
stems and upright habit. The distinctive  
bright green leaves are beautifully cut and  
curled and retain their fresh appearance well.  
A most highly productive and valuable type  
that is widely used by commercial parsley  
growers. See prices below.

### 635 Paramount

Most Attractive, Tightly Curled Leaves

For extra fine curled leaves and rich dark  
green color, Paramount is the best parsley we  
know. It is highly uniform with no flat leaves  
and the stems are strong and of good length.  
Rather slow-growing but excellent for late  
summer and fall. Holds its color well in cool  
weather. Widely used for forcing and muck  
growing as well as upland. See prices below.

	Oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$ lb.	lb.	5 lbs. or more @
631 CHAMPION, or Triple Moss Curled.....	\$ .25	\$ .60	\$ 1.75	\$ 1.60
This is a very superior strain. Although not quite as finely curled as Paramount, it is an early, rapid growing stock which will produce an abundance of fine parsley and give great sat- isfaction.				
635 PARAMOUNT. Finest Curled. See above.....	.25	.65	1.85	1.70
637 PERFECTION. Highly Recommended. See above.....	.25	.60	1.75	1.60
638 Plain Leaf .....	.25	.60	1.70	1.55
Large flat leaves, not curled. Used for flavoring.				

### PARSLEY FOR ROOTS

633 HAMBURG (Heimisher). Parsnip Rooted. Selected Stock.....	.25	.60	1.70	1.55
The roots are up to 8 in. long, parsnip-shaped, smooth and white. We have a very fine stock of this variety, which pro- duces long, straight, thick roots.				

## PARSNIPS

An ounce will sow 150 feet.  
 $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 lbs. per acre.

### 640 Harris' Model

Smooth White Roots—Best for Packaging

These are smooth, snow white, long tapered  
parsnips, with a minimum of side roots or  
prongs. They are of good length, but not too  
long and their smoothness is quite remark-  
able, giving the roots a very attractive ap-  
pearance so that they usually sell for top  
prices.

Growers all over the country demand our  
true originator's strain both for packaging  
and busheling.

Oz. 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; 1 lb. \$1.60;  
5 lbs. or more @ \$1.50; 25 lbs. or more @ \$1.40.

### 641 All-America

Broad Shouldered—Early

Excellent large, broad shouldered variety that  
makes a good diameter early. Roots are re-  
markably smooth and white, quite tapered,  
fine quality.

Oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55c; 1 lb. \$1.50;  
5 lbs. or more @ \$1.40; 25 lbs. or more @ \$1.30.

"In the twenty years that we have dealt with  
you we have not had one package of seeds  
that was not true to name and of the finest  
quality... It is a pleasure to do business with  
a dependable seed company such as yours."

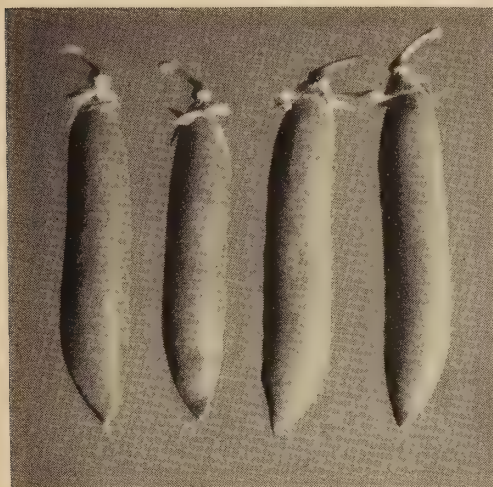
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Hill's Market Gardens, Albert Lea, Minn.



# PEAS

One pound of peas will plant 100 feet. Two to four bushels per acre.



WORLD'S RECORD—For earliest crops.

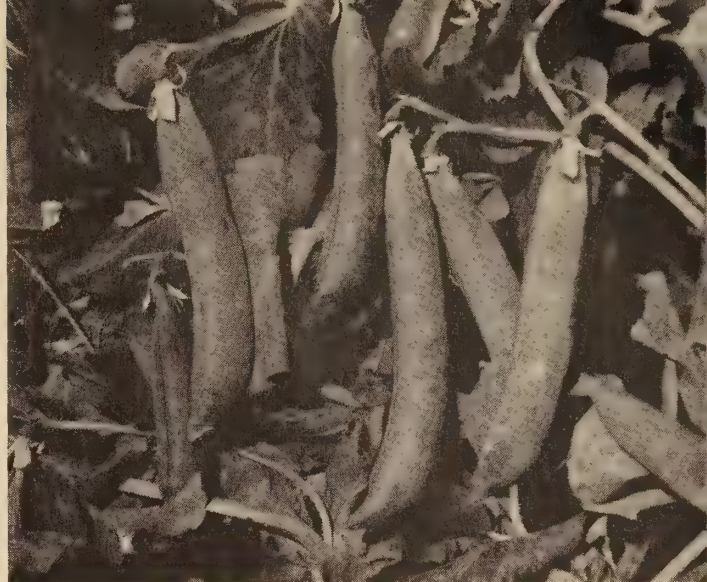
## 195 World's Record

Early, Large Pods (59 days)

Popular because of its earliness, good size and fine quality. Many of the best growers find it highly profitable for first early crop. The pods are large and attractive, 3 to 4 inches long, pointed, medium dark green and contain six to eight large peas of fine flavor.

The vines are usually about 2½ feet high, sturdy and bear large crops which are ready to pick over a very short period. Widely adapted throughout the Northeast, our stock is the true type and very dependable. See prices below.

*"I find your seeds and plants the best of any that I have ever tried."*  
John W. Smart, Millville, Mass.  
2/14/55



GREATER PROGRESS

Big crops of fine, long pods ready early.

**NOT PREPAID:** Peas are shipped at your expense unless your vegetable seed order is \$20.00 or more. We then prepay freight charges. See inside front cover.

EARLY VARIETIES	1 lb.	5 lbs.	15 lbs.	Bu. (56 lbs.)	25 lbs. or more @
157 FREEZONIAN (3¼ ft.) 62 days. See at right.....	\$.55	\$1.85	\$4.80	\$15.70	\$.28
160 GREATER PROGRESS (18 in.) 62 days. The Finest Market Variety. See at right.....	.60	2.00	5.25	17.35	.31
170 LITTLE MARVEL. (15 in.) 62 days. Larger-Podded Strain This is a special strain with broader pods and bigger peas. Pods well-filled, excellent quality. Vines stocky and very prolific.	.55	1.95	5.10	16.80	.30
190 THOMAS LAXTON. (3¼ ft.) 62 days. High Quality...	.55	1.85	4.80	15.70	.28
195 WORLD'S RECORD. (2½ ft.) 59 days. See above.....	.60	2.10	5.55	17.90	.32

## MEDIUM AND LATE VARIETIES

152 ALDERMAN. (4½ to 6 ft.) 74 days. Dark Podded. .... Still the best of the late tall-growing peas. Very large well-filled pods of excellent quality. Popular on the market and most profitable for growers.	.55	1.85	4.80	15.70	.28
168 LINCOLN. (2½ ft.) 69 days. Finest Quality. .... Supreme tenderness and flavor, ideal for quality markets. Pods 3-3½ in. long, narrow, pointed and slightly curved. Borne in tremendous quantities on dwarf vines, easy to pick and excellent for freezing.	.65	2.20	5.70	19.00	.34
180 MIDSEASON GIANT. (2 ft.) 72 days. .... The best of the very large-podded midseason group. Stands up and bears well under many conditions. Dark green pointed pods, 4½ to 5 in. The vigorous vines produce large yields and the quality is excellent.	.60	2.00	5.25	17.35	.31
182 ONEIDA. (2½ ft.) 68 days. .... Dark green blunt-podded type similar to Victory Freezer but slightly larger (3½-4 in.). Dependable.	.65	2.20	5.70	19.00	.34
193 VICTORY FREEZER. (2½ ft.) 67 days. .... This hardy, early-midseason variety bears quantities of 3-3½ inch blunt pods and ripens so uniformly that vines can be stripped at one picking. Valuable wherever quality is more important than size.	.60	2.10	5.55	17.90	.32
194 WANDO. (2½ ft.) 67 days. Produces in Hot Weather. . This small-podded midseason variety is especially valuable for midsummer crops as it produces well even in hot weather. The straight, blunt dark green pods are 2½ to 3 in. long and well-filled. Fine quality.	.60	2.10	5.55	17.90	.32

## PUMPKINS

An ounce of seed will plant 20 hills; about 3 lbs. to the acre.

### 687 Jack O'Lantern (New)—Medium-Sized, High Pumpkin.

A new selection, designed especially for the Hallowe'en trade and well worth a trial for this purpose. The fruit vary in size but average between Small Sugar and Connecticut Field. They are generally higher than true round, some perhaps too long, and the interesting variety of shapes provides fruit to suit nearly every taste. They have a fine bright orange color, thick flesh and a smooth skin with moderate ribbing. See prices below.

### 695 Small Sugar (or New England Pie)

By far the most popular variety for market. The fruit are small, weighing 6 to 8 lbs., but there are so many on the vines that the tonnage nearly equals the larger kinds. Small Sugar has a hard smooth skin, somewhat ribbed and of deep orange color. Inside, the flesh is thick, sweet and dry and the quality is excellent. A very profitable pumpkin to grow. See prices below.

	Oz.	¼ lb.	lb.	5 lbs. or more @
686 CONNECTICUT FIELD or Big Tom. .... The standard large pumpkin. True stock.	\$.25	\$.65	\$1.75	\$1.60
687 JACK O'LANTERN (New). See above.....	.35	.85	2.50	2.35
688 LARGE CHEESE .....	.25	.65	1.75	1.60
690 MAMMOTH POTIRON or King of the Mammoths.....	.30	.85	2.30	2.15
692 ORANGE WINTER LUXURY..... This improved strain has netted deep orange skin and orange yellow flesh. A very uniform stock.	.20	.60	1.60	1.50
695 SMALL SUGAR or Pie Pumpkin. See above.....	.25	.65	1.75	1.60

## 160 Greater Progress

The Best Kind to Grow for Market (62 days)

If you grow peas for market, plant our Greater Progress, a remarkable large-podded early strain that has become tremendously popular in all sections. The husky vines are extra dwarf, not over 18 in. tall, and they are literally loaded with large well-filled deep green pods, borne out where they are easy to pick. They mature very early and come on evenly over a short period.

The pods are uniformly long, pointed and nearly straight, giving a most handsome appearance. Dark green in color, they are well-filled with big tender peas of good flavor. Now recognized as the best-looking, best yielding and most profitable pea for early or main crop production, and widely grown for roadside stands, market and shipping. We have the greatest confidence that you will like Greater Progress. See prices at left.

## 157 Freezonian

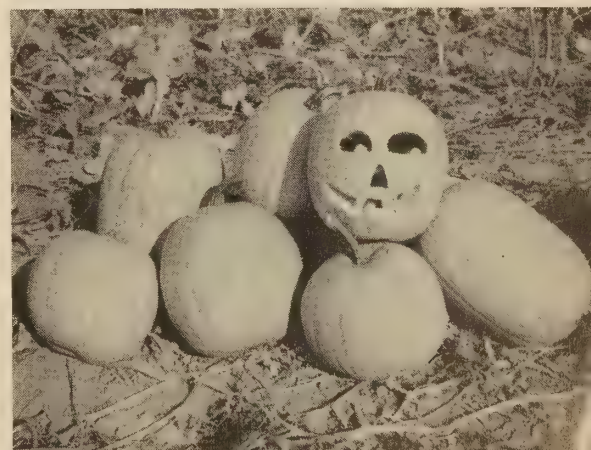
Finest Quality—Attractive Pods (62 days)

All the famous quality and dependability of the old Thomas Laxton are here combined with huskier vines and bigger yields. Freezonian is one of the leaders among the modern early peas for home use, roadside stands and local markets.

The good-looking, blunt pods are 3 to 3½ in. long, uniform in size, and they ripen just after World's Record. The pods are very well filled with plump, dark green peas, and the crops are remarkably heavy. Freezonian is ideal for growers for the early market and excellent for freezing. See prices at left.

**SPERGON-TREATED PEAS.** Another free Harris' service—all our peas are Spergon-treated for better stands, more even growth and bigger yields, at no extra cost.

JACK O'LANTERN  
Designed for Hallowe'en carving.







PENNWONDER—Early—reliable—thick walls.

## 656 Calwonder

*Large, Prolific—Most Popular*

For big yields of fine heavy peppers, our Calwonder is an outstanding strain. Early enough to ripen full crops even in shorter seasons, it produces large attractive blocky fruit with exceptionally thick meat, just what the market wants.

The sturdy plants are more dwarf than California Wonder, yield more heavily and the fruit ripens a week or ten days earlier. Not as fully 4-lobed, but smooth, uniform and of fine appearance and quality. The deep green color changes evenly to bright red. This is our most popular pepper. See prices below.



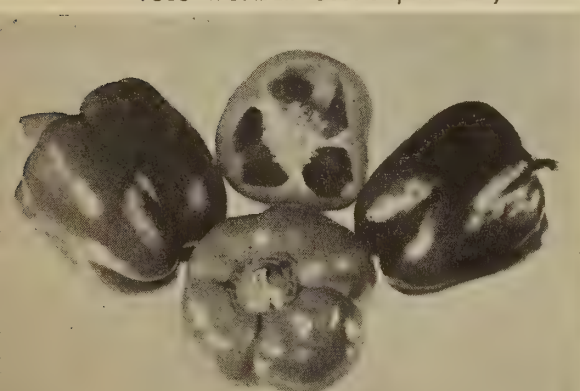
CALWONDER—Handsome, blocky peppers.

## 684 Yolo Wonder

*Excellent New Resistant Type*

This new California Wonder type is highly resistant to tobacco mosaic, the disease which stunts fruit and reduces yields in many pepper sections. Not an early variety, Yolo Wonder is a fine yielder in longer seasons and is highly dependable in mosaic areas. Fruit very large, not quite as well-shaped as our California Wonder but thick-meated and attractive, entirely satisfactory for market. Plants uniform, very vigorous but compact. Rapidly becoming more popular because of its resistance. See prices at right.

YOLO WONDER—Good crops of heavy fruit.



# PEPPERS

An ounce of seed will produce about 1000 plants.

## 675 Pennwonder

*The Most Dependable Early Pepper*

Combining good size, blocky shape and thick meat with high yield and earliness, Pennwonder is now recognized as the best and most reliable early pepper variety.

Easier to grow from seed than most peppers, it makes sturdy, uniform plants, and in the field they bear profusely under a wide range of conditions.

Thick-fleshed, smooth and fairly large, these attractive peppers are often tapered in shape on the first set but are more even and blocky thereafter. The color is a beautiful dark green turning to rich red and the quality is excellent. Pennwonder is widely adapted and we recommend it highly. See prices below.

## 652 California Wonder

*The Leading Main Crop Type*

This is the standard market garden and shipping variety and we are proud of the fine true stock we offer. The plants are sturdy and even, heavy producers where the seasons are fairly long, and the fruit is of the best type, very smooth and symmetrical with 3 or 4 lobes. The flesh is extra thick, firm and sweet with good flavor. Usually marketed in the green stage but will ripen to brilliant red.

The large crops and uniformly handsome appearance of this strain make it a definitely superior type which we can recommend highly. See prices below.

## 679 Vinedale

*Extra-Early and Prolific*

For short season areas or for extra early crops, Vinedale is the one to grow. The uniformly dwarf and vigorous vines are loaded with brilliant red fruit at the very start of the season, and it yields more and better peppers than other early kinds.

The fruit are medium sized, somewhat tapered or pointed with fairly thick flesh of good quality. Vinedale was developed by Dr. O. J. Robb at Vineland Station, Ontario, Canada. Invaluable for the far North and for extra early red peppers. See prices below.

## 650 Allbig (Illinois F-5)

*Big Yields—Large Fruit*

Big, thick-fleshed peppers mature earlier than Calwonder with this vigorous variety from the University of Illinois. The fruit resemble a large, long, somewhat roughened Worldbeater and the vines produce big crops over a long season. Not mosaic resistant but seems to stand up well and produce where others fail. See prices below.

## 670 Hot Portugal—Large and Hot

For the finest of large hot peppers, grow our Hot Portugal. The fruit are 6 inches or more in length and ripen very early. They are fiery hot, a brilliant glossy scarlet color and have a smooth attractive shape. The sturdy plants produce large numbers of peppers of excellent market type. See prices below.

	Oz.	¼ lb.	lb.	5 lbs. or more @
650 ALLBIG (Illinois F-5). Large, Heavy Fruit. See above.....	\$ .95	\$2.95	\$10.00	\$9.50
652 CALIFORNIA WONDER. Thick Flesh. See above.....	.85	2.55	8.00	7.75
656 CALWONDER, EARLY. Fine Blocky Fruit. See above.....	.85	2.55	8.00	7.75
662 HARRIS' IMPROVED SQUASH..... The true "Squash" pepper, used for pimientos. Heavy yielding and very early, with thick sweet flesh, deep red in color.	.90	2.75	8.50	....
663 HARRIS' KING OF THE NORTH. Extra Large..... Enormous yields of big peppers, ready very early. The fruit are large, long and somewhat rough, of deep red color and medium flesh. Our originator's strain is still best of many now offered.	.95	2.95	....	....
668 HEIFER HORN. (Hot) Private Stock..... One of the best and most prolific short hot peppers. A special market gardeners' stock, notable for its heavy early yields.	.85	2.55	8.00	....
670 HOT PORTUGAL. Large Hot. See above.....	.85	2.55	8.00	....
672 HUNGARIAN WAX. (Hot) Long Type..... Fruit about 5 or 6 in. long by 1½ in. at the stem end, smooth, tapered and pointed. Ripens early to a waxy yellow, turning bright red when fully ripe. Excellent stock, very hot.	.85	2.75	9.00	8.50
673 ITALIANELLE (New). Popular in New England..... An early, heavy yielding, thin-fleshed variety resembling Neapolitan. Fairly large fruit, rough and tapered. Yellowish- green turning deep red. A sweet pepper but stock contains some hot ones.	.90	2.75	8.50	....
667 KEYSTONE RESISTANT GIANT (New). Mosaic Resistant..... Fruit of blocky shape, thick walled and attractive. Sets well under many conditions and yields heavily, maturing in season with Yolo Wonder. Sturdy, bushy plants, highly resistant to mosaic.	1.10	3.90	12.00	11.50
674 LARGE RED CHERRY. (Hot) Small Round Fruit. Late.....	.80	2.40	7.75	....
676 MICHIGAN WONDER. Early-Heavy Fruit.....	Crop Failed			
An earlier strain of California Wonder type. Unusually uniform, thick meated, well-shaped. Smooth, good sized and generally four-lobed. Large plants yield heavily under favorable conditions.				
669 MORGOLD (New). Extra Early Golden Fruit..... ½ Oz. 75c	1.40	4.50	....	....
Large crops of golden orange fruit ripen almost in season with Vinedale on dwarf, compact plants. Fruit are fairly large (4 in. long), tapered and rough in shape. Developed at Morden Exp. Station, Canada.				
675 PENNWONDER. The Best Early Pepper. See above.....	.85	2.70	8.50	8.25
677 RUMANIAN WAX. (Hot) Heavy Yields on Dwarf Plants.....	1.10	3.90	12.00	....
In demand on many markets. Early, prolific hot type, ripening from bright, waxy yellow to brilliant red. 4-5 inches long, broad at the shoulder and tapered to a point. Our own special high-yielding, dwarf strain.				
678 SWEET BANANA. Long Yellow Fruit.....	.90	2.90	9.00	....
Fruit 6-6½ in. long, pointed. Attractive light yellow turning bright red. Looks like a hot pepper but is sweet. Well liked on some markets.				
679 VINEDALE. First to Ripen. See above.....	.95	2.95	10.00	....
681 WORLDBEATER. Large and Prolific.....	.80	2.40	7.50	7.25
An excellent strain. Large, somewhat tapered fruit, thick flesh and heavy yields. This stock is uniform and attractive, is earlier than most and performs well even in the North.				
684 YOLO WONDER. Mosaic Resistant. See at left.....	.80	2.40	7.50	7.00
25 lbs. or more @ \$6.00 lb.				



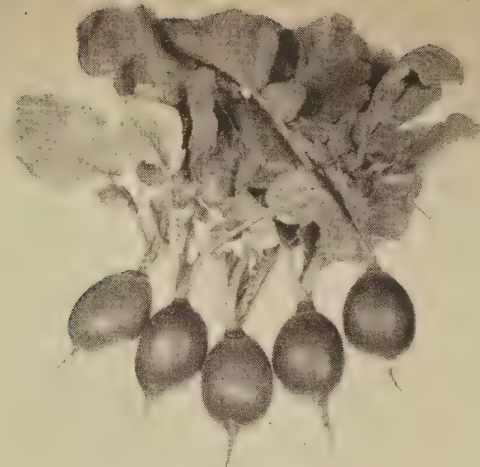
**RADISH** 1/4 lb. of seed will sow about 300 ft.  
10 to 15 lbs. per acre, depending on the width of the rows.

## 705 Cavalier

*A Short Top Scarlet Globe Type  
For Forcing or Outdoor Crops*

The short tops, brilliant deep scarlet color, beautiful shape and ability to stand a long time make this the best oval forcing type we know. The roots are firm and solid, of the true olive shape and unusually uniform for type. It is often possible to pull practically 100% of number one radishes. The tops are somewhat shorter than Early Scarlet Globe and just right for bunching. Cavalier is also especially good on muck soils.

It is one of the finest radishes grown and market gardeners everywhere are most enthusiastic over it. Many of them tell us that these radishes sell for the best prices even when the market is slow, and the strain we offer has proved the best to be had. See prices below.



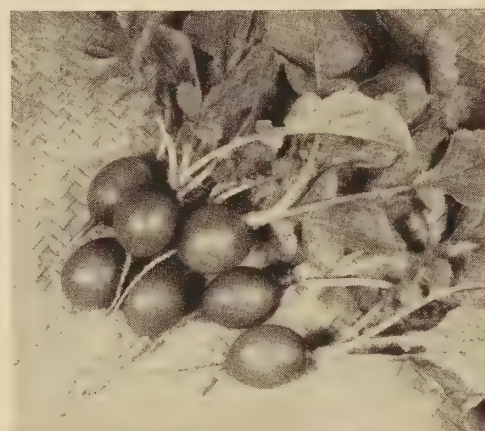
CAVALIER  
The best oval radish.

## 706 Cherry Belle

*Extra Short Tops—Round and Firm*

An excellent variety for packaging, Cherry Belle is also widely grown for greenhouse and frame forcing, muck crops and general outdoor use on irrigated land. It is an exceptionally short-topped radish which grows quickly but holds its firmness well. Round as a marble, the brightly colored roots have uniform shape and crisp mild flesh. The tap roots are very fine and they are not apt to crack.

Cherry Belle is becoming more popular with specialist growers every year and is a fine firm radish that we highly recommend. See prices below.



CHERRY BELLE  
Quick growing, firm, round.

ARASAN is a fine seed treatment for radishes. Protects seeds from rotting, improves stands and yields.

3/4 Oz. 25c; 8 Oz. \$1.10.

## 707 Comet

*Long Standing—Wonderful for Packaging*

This fine round radish stays crisp and solid even in warm weather, and the deep sparkling red color and smooth globe shape make it very attractive for both bunching and packaging. The tops are somewhat larger than our Early Scarlet Globe Special and it is best adapted for outdoor use.

Growers like Comet's uniform large size, even shape and rich color, and their customers appreciate the superior quality with its crisp white flesh of delicious flavor. It holds up well for market and shipping, and the strain we offer is the best obtainable. See prices at right.



COMET  
Excellent for summer.

### EARLY SCARLET GLOBE SPECIAL

	1/4 lb.	lb.	5 lbs. or more @	25 lbs. or more @
705 CAVALIER. Short Top Scarlet Globe. See above.....	.40	\$1.10	\$.95	\$.85
706 CHERRY BELLE. Ideal for Forcing. See above.....	.45	1.20	1.10	1.00
707 COMET. Round, Bright Scarlet, Long Standing. See at left...	.40	1.10	1.05	.95
710 EARLIEST SCARLET WHITE-TIPPED. Forcing Strain.....	.40	1.15	1.05	....
The radishes are round, brilliant scarlet with white bottoms. Tops are small. The finest strain of white-tipped radish, superior both for forcing and outdoor growing.				
716 EARLY SCARLET GLOBE. Special Strain. See above.....	.35	1.00	.95	.85
725 ICICLE. Short Top Strain (White). See above.....	.40	1.10	1.00	.90
734 WHITE STRASBURG.....	.40	1.15	1.05	.95
Popular for summer use. Roots large and white with tapering shape.				

### WINTER RADISH

*Sow in August and store in moist sand for winter.*

701 BLACK SPANISH TURNIP.....	.45	1.20	1.10	....
Roots are round or turnip shaped and grow very uniform in shape and size. Clear white flesh, skin deep black without white streaks.				

## SWISS CHARD

1/4 lb. of seed will sow about 250 feet of row.

### 830 Fordhook Giant

*Best for Market*

This is by far the most popular variety of Swiss Chard. It has larger and thicker leaves than any other kind and they are heavily crumpled and very dark green. The stem and midrib are broad, thick and white, and the plants are vigorous and sturdy. This is a very uniform type and so superior to all others that we do not offer any other variety.

1/4 Lb. 55c; Lb. \$1.50;  
5 Lbs. or more @ \$1.25.

## SALSIFY (Vegetable Oyster)

1/4 lb. of seed will sow about 400 feet of row.

### 740 MAMMOTH SANDWICH ISLAND

The largest and best variety. Long, tapering fleshy roots with but few side shoots.

Oz. 50c; 1/4 Lb. \$1.35; Lb. \$4.00;  
5 Lbs. or more \$3.75 per Lb.

## SORREL OR SOUR-GRASS

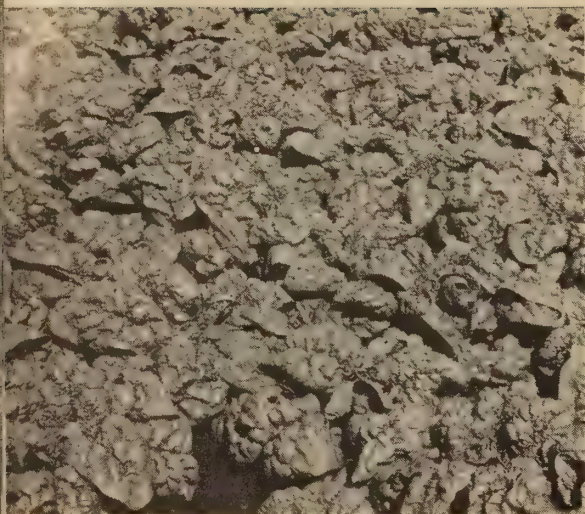
1/4 lb. of seed will sow about 1000 feet of row.

### 745 NARROW LEAVED. Special Strain.

This is the best variety for market, producing long slender bright green leaves.

Oz. 55c; 1/4 Lb. \$1.55; Lb. \$5.00;  
5 Lbs. or more @ \$4.50.





AMERICA  
Amazingly long standing.

### 752 Dark Green Bloomsdale

Extra Dark Green Strain

A variety of great popularity, Dark Green Bloomsdale is widely grown for earliest spring plantings and for wintering over. Vigorous and quick-growing, it makes large erect plants very early, yet it stands almost as well as Long Standing without bolting. The leaves are big and heavily crumpled with an excellent uniform dark green color that holds unusually well. Our strain is highly regarded by many important growers. See prices at right.

## SUMMER SQUASH 1/4 lb. of seed will plant about 100 hills. 5 to 6 lbs. of seed per acre.

### 817 Seneca Prolific Hybrid (New)

True Hybrid, Uniform and Productive

This new F<sub>1</sub> hybrid is the earliest and most productive yellow summer squash with us. The fruit resemble Early Yellow Prolific but are very smooth skinned with a deep creamy yellow color, free of mottling and greenish streaks. If kept picked, the vines will produce great numbers of excellent, uniform fruit throughout the season. The best to grow whenever yellow squash for market are desired. See prices below.

### 794 Harris' Hybrid Cocozelle

Big Crops of Striped Fruit

Earlier, more vigorous and a better yielder, this is the best long Cocozelle yet developed. Produced exclusively by us, it is a true hybrid of the kind that markets want.

The compact bush vines start to produce extremely early and if kept picked continue to bear at an astonishing rate all season. The fruit are medium long and slender with dark and light green stripes. They are handsome and of the best quality.

Increasingly popular on most markets, this Cocozelle has real hybrid vigor and uniformity. Most profitable to grow. See prices below.

HARRIS HYBRID COCOZELLE  
Tremendous early yields.



## SPINACH Sow 12 to 20 lbs. of seed per acre.

### 749 America—The Best Savoy Spinach

Now well-established as the best variety for warm weather use. The glossy dark green color and the heavily crumpled, thick-textured leaves have pleased both growers and buyers.

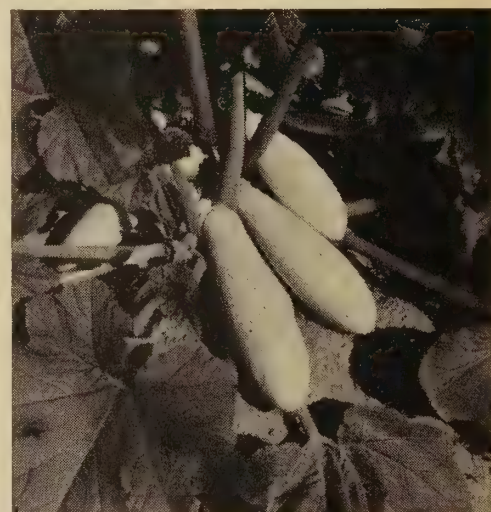
Not an early variety, America develops rather slowly but will stand in prime condition for at least a week or ten days after Long Standing Bloomsdale has bolted. The heavy compact plants are about 6-8 inches high and 10-12 inches across, and the firm dark leaves hold up better for market than any other kind. Most outstanding in hot weather, America has such fine quality that it is widely grown for spring crop. Just what growers have been looking for. Prices below.

	lb.	5 lbs. or more @	25 lbs. or more @	200 lbs. or more @
749 AMERICA. Extraordinary Long-Standing Type. See above....	\$ .60	\$ .50	\$ .41	\$ .40
750 BLIGHT RESISTANT SAVOY. Dependable For Fall Crop. ....	.55	.45	.36	.35
Practically 100% resistant to blight and produces large crops in late summer and fall when others fail. Dark green, well crumpled leaves. Not long-standing in spring but our stock stands several days longer than most.				
752 DARK GREEN BLOOMSDALE. Special Stock. See at left. ....	.55	.45	.36	.35
This extra dark green strain is very early with large heavily crumpled leaves, yet it stands almost as well as Long Standing. 100% uniform, deep color holds well. Used for early spring and for wintering over.				
755 LONG STANDING BLOOMSDALE. Best Imported Stock. ....	.55	.47	.37	.36
An excellent large-growing strain, especially recommended for early spring planting. Faster growth, broader frame than America and can be cut sooner yet stands very well without bolting. Big, dark well-crumpled leaves "bushel-up" fast.				
762 OLD DOMINION. Blight Resistant. ....	.55	.45	.36	.35
Very popular for fall use and for wintering over when blight is a problem. Also used in early spring as it stands longer without bolting than Blight Resistant Savoy.				
768 VIKING. Large Leaved—Long Standing. ....	.55	.47	.37	.36
Early, large leaved, grows rapidly, yet stands for a long time. It has big, broad, flattened, dark green leaves and produces immense crops. Used by canners and commercial growers.				
758 NEW ZEALAND SPINACH. Valuable for Summer. ... 1/4 lb. 35c	1.00	.90	.85	....
Not a true spinach, but grows a large plant with small thick leaves that may be cut repeatedly. Valuable for greens in hot weather. Seed should be soaked 24 hours before planting.				

### 829 Zucchini Hybrid

Enormous Yields, Ready Very Early

Its tremendous extra-early yields make this vigorous F<sub>1</sub> hybrid highly interesting to market growers, and in addition it is an attractive, fine quality dark green summer squash of excellent type. Far earlier and more productive than the regular Zucchini, its fruit are of handsome, slightly tapered shape with a beautiful dark glossy green color, finely flecked with lighter green. The vines are compact and easy to pick, and bear heavily all season. Excellent flavor. See prices below.



SENECA PROLIFIC HYBRID

	Oz.	1/4 lb.	lb.	5 lbs. or more @
775 CASERTA. Extra Early. ....	\$ .35	\$ .85	\$2.50	\$2.25
Tremendous early yields make Caserta a fine variety for roadside stands and local market. Medium sized fruit of distinctive glossy light green color with broken stripes of darker green.				
785 EARLY YELLOW PROLIFIC. Fruit of Excellent Type. ....	.25	.75	2.00	1.75
Uniform, attractive fruit of clear yellow color and even tapered shape that packs well for market. Early and remarkably heavy yielding. The most popular yellow squash, and this is an excellent strain of our own growing.				
794 HARRIS' HYBRID COCOZELLE. Best of Its Kind. See above. ....	.65	1.85	5.75	5.50
795 HARRIS' IMPROVED COCOZELLE. ....	.30	.80	2.25	2.00
The true long slender straight type that critical growers want. Developed and grown entirely by us, it produces very uniform fruit and is surpassed only by our new hybrid.				
807 MAMMOTH WHITE BUSH SCALLOP. Also called "Cymling". ....	.25	.65	1.75	1.60
The standard type, producing large yields of thick, creamy white, well scalloped fruit. Bush vines.				
817 SENECA PROLIFIC HYBRID (New). Smooth, Even Color. See above. ....	.65	1.85	6.25	6.00
825 YANKEE HYBRID. Extra Early, Heavy Yielder. ....	.65	1.80	5.75	5.50
True hybrid, early vigorous and heavy yielding, a favorite with many growers. Fruit are uniform and attractive with straight, thick necks. Skin is slightly roughened and of light waxy yellow color.				
829 ZUCCHINI HYBRID. The Best Zucchini. See above. ....	.65	1.85	6.00	5.75



# WINTER SQUASH

¼ lb. of seed will plant 50 hills;  
3 to 4 lbs. of seed per acre.

## 774 Butternut

*The Best Strain Obtainable*

Now the most widely-grown small squash in the East, Butternut's popularity is rapidly spreading to other sections. Our strain, grown and selected on our farms, has top rating with the most important growers, and we are proud of its uniformity, yield and dependability.

The fruit are of moderately long shape with *straight* thick necks that are solid meat. In size (3 to 4 lbs.) it is ideal for modern markets and customers now recognize its distinctive appearance as a guide to the finest of quality. Butternut matures early, bears big crops for summer and fall sale and also keeps well enough in storage for early winter use. Resistant to squash vine borers and highly prolific on nearly all soils, this is the squash to grow. See prices below.



BUTTERNUT

*This illustrates the excellent type of our superior strain.*



BLUE HUBBARD

*We select only fruit of finest type for stock seed.*

## 770 Blue Hubbard —Harris' Famous Selected Strain

Our special large, rugged strain produces immense yields of big, well-shaped squash that bring the highest prices. The thick-fleshed fruit is uniformly heavy and stores well.

Our strain is the result of years of careful breeding here on our own farms, and is recognized as the finest, purest stock grown. It cannot be obtained elsewhere.

Blue Hubbard is still in good demand on most markets in the East, and the fine quality, enormous yields and excellent keeping quality of our famous strain make it one of the most profitable squash to grow. See prices below.

### ZERLATE

*For Blight and Anthracnose*

For healthier, better keeping squash spray regularly with **ZERLATE**, the best fungicide for squash, melons, cucumbers and tomatoes.

3 lbs. (makes up to 200 gals.)  
\$2.60 postpaid to 5th zone.



TABLE QUEEN

ROYAL ACORN

*Both are very successful market types.*

## 815 Royal Acorn

*The Ideal Acorn Squash*

The demand for Royal Acorn and its smaller relative, Table Queen, keeps growing steadily because market gardeners often find them very profitable to raise. Royal Acorn's fruit have the true pointed acorn shape but grow bigger than Table Queen, measuring up to 6-7 in. long and 5 in. across. There is always a ready market for these attractive dark green squash and the big vines yield tremendous crops. See prices below.

	Oz.	¼ lb.	lb.	5 lbs. or more @
770 BLUE HUBBARD. Selected Strain. See above.....	.35	\$1.10	\$3.00	\$2.75
772 Boston Marrow. Special Stock. ....	.25	.75	2.00	1.75
We offer a much improved strain with a brighter richer orange skin color and greater uniformity. By far the best type for canning and market.				
773 BUTTERCUP. Finest Quality. See at right. ....	.45	1.20	3.50	3.25
774 BUTTERNUT. Special Stock. Thick, Straight Necks. See above.....	.55	1.55	5.00	4.75
25 lbs. or more @ \$4.50 per lb.; 50 lbs. or more @ \$4.25 per lb.				
780 DELICIOUS. Popular Medium-Sized Squash. ....	.35	.95	2.75	2.50
The attractive pointed shape and dark green skin make this an excellent market type. Bright orange flesh of high quality. Very widely grown and well adapted in many sections.				
792 GOLDEN DELICIOUS. Large, Heavy-Yielding Strain. ....	.35	.95	2.75	2.50
This strain produces enormous crops of thick-meated orange squash of fine quality. Excellent for market, commercial canning and freezing.				
793 Golden Hubbard .....	.35	1.10	3.00	2.75
797 HUBBARD—True. ....	.30	.85	2.50	2.25
800 IMPROVED WARTED HUBBARD. (Dark Green). ....	.30	.85	2.50	2.25
Larger, more warted, and darker green than the true Hubbard.				
810 QUALITY. Very Fine Flavor. Excellent Market Type. ....	.35	.95	2.75	2.50
One of the best medium sized squash with thick meat, rich flavor and heavy yields. Excellent for storage and freezing. Thin hard dark green shell, attractive heart shape give fine market appearance. Highly recommended.				
815 ROYAL ACORN. (Mammoth Table Queen). See above.....	.25	.75	2.25	2.00
820 TABLE QUEEN. Also called Acorn and Des Moines. ....	.25	.75	2.25	2.00
The Individual Squash. Small dark green fruit 5 to 6 in. long, 4½ in. in diameter, deeply ribbed, very hard. See photo above.				
823 WARREN. Improved Essex Hybrid. ....	.35	1.10	3.00	2.75
This squash is still well-liked in New England. The fruit are medium to fairly large, heavily warted and bright orange red, with a distinctive "button."				

## 773 Buttercup

*Small Fruit, Finest Quality*

Its distinctive appearance, small size and top quality are bringing Buttercup a steadily increasing sale on roadside stands and local markets. The squash are dark green, turban shaped and about 8 in. in diameter with a prominent grey "button." The flesh is thick and extra dry and sweet. Many markets now require small "family-sized" squash, and Buttercup has a reputation for quality that makes it a ready seller. See prices at left.

**BUTTERCUP— Best for quality markets.**







MORETON HYBRID—Large, uniform fruit of absolutely top quality.

### 871 Moreton Hybrid

*Harris' Magnificent Early Tomato*

This true F<sub>1</sub> hybrid of our own breeding is the finest early tomato ever developed, in our opinion. It has everything—hybrid vigor, earliness, size, appearance and wonderful quality, and it usually excels all standard varieties until Longred's season.

Maturing with Valiant here, it is even earlier with some growers. Throughout the season it continues to bear large firm handsome fruit in great quantities. They are smooth, globe or slightly flattened, 6 to 7 oz., solid and meaty, and they color evenly to a rich red. The flavor and sweetness are so good that Moreton is now the only tomato we grow for our own tables. Vines husky, spreading, good foliage cover.

One of our most successful introductions, Moreton is widely adapted and highly prolific. Be sure to grow some this year; we are confident you will be well pleased. See prices on next page.

### 858 Early Hybrid

*(Earlana x Valiant) Extra Early*

Bred for extra early crops and heavy yields, this F<sub>1</sub> hybrid produces medium-sized, slightly flattened fruit in great abundance. The spreading vines are vigorous, open in habit and may be staked. They blossom early and set freely, making this the earliest and most productive hybrid in its class. The size, color and quality are not up to Moreton Hybrid but it is definitely earlier and is highly successful with many growers. See prices on next page.

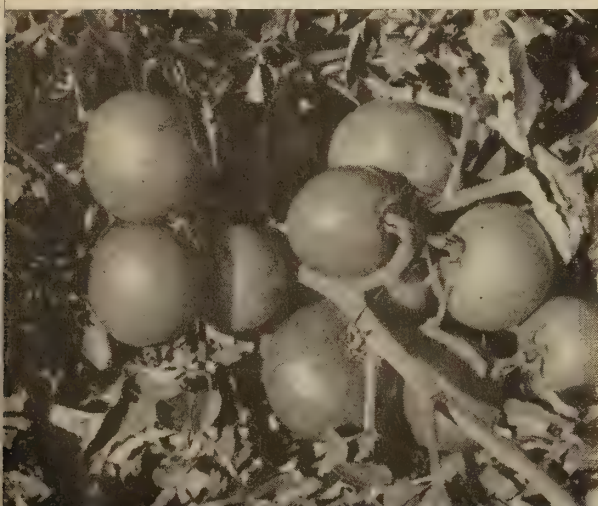
### 889 Valiant

*The Standard Early Tomato*

The large meaty fruit have uniform deep globe shape, good color and mild flavor, and the size is excellent for an early variety. The vines are spreading and rather open and prefer heavier soils of high fertility.

This is the most popular early kind, well known and well-liked on the market. Our strain is superior to most in early yields and uniformity. N. Y. State Certified Seed of our own growing. See prices on next page.

LONGRED—Heavy yields of fine, firm fruit.



## TOMATOES

An ounce of seed will produce about 2000 plants.

### 861 Fireball—The Best First-Early—Heavy Yields of Firm Fruit

If you want extra early tomatoes, here is a great money-maker. Ripening well ahead of the standard varieties, Fireball produces big crops of smooth, firm fruit at a time when prices are still high.

The vines are very small with little foliage and should be planted close, 1 to 2 ft. apart for big returns per acre. The blossoms set in large clusters even at cool temperatures and the medium-sized fruit ripen quickly from pale green to bright red. They are most attractive for an extra early variety—smooth, uniformly globe-shaped, 4 to 5 oz., and they are remarkably firm even when dead ripe. Good quality, not acid or sour.

Fireball is another great Harris' achievement, not adapted for mid-season crop but highly profitable for the first early tomatoes in nearly all sections. Try it this year. See prices on next page.



FIREBALL—The one best tomato for earliest crops.

### 859 Early Red Chief (New)

*Popular Second-Early Variety*

Already widely grown in the Northeast, Middle West and southern Ontario, Early Red Chief is a second-early variety, ripening a little earlier than Stokesdale, and it produces large yields of fine, round fruit. Relatively free of cracks and scars, the tomatoes are of medium size and bright red color, meaty and full flavored. The large, vigorous vines have dense foliage that gives excellent protection. Prices on next page.

### 885 Rutgers

*Harris' Famous Northern-Grown Strain*

Rutgers still leads the field in many important tomato growing sections. It combines large size, solid structure, fine flavor and a beautiful rich red color that goes all through the fruit, making it excellent for both market and canning. The vines are large and very husky and stand up well even late in the season; they bear tremendous crops of fine fruit.

Our strain has been grown and selected here in the North for years and is the best obtainable. The earliness and yield, the uniformly large size and smooth even shape of the fruit have all been improved due to our careful breeding. N. Y. State Certified Seed of our own growing. See prices on next page.

RUTGERS—Still a wonderful tomato.



EARLY RED CHIEF

*Very productive—widely adapted.*

### 868 Longred

*Outstanding Main Crop Tomato*

Longred is the best midseason variety for New York State and many other areas, whether for market or canners. It matures early enough for top production in our seasons and continues to bear until frost.

The fruit are exceptionally smooth and uniform in appearance, deep globe-shaped with thick walls and solid flesh. They have a fine rich red color and their interiors are very attractive. Longred ripens uniformly and the large size and deep smooth shape hold up well on all pickings.

Developed by Prof. Tapley at Geneva, Longred has abundant, fine leaved foliage and a free setting habit, giving heavy yields at each picking. If you have not grown Longred, try it this year. N. Y. State Certified Seed. See prices on next page.



# STANDARD VARIETIES

	Oz.	1/4 lb.	lb.	5 lbs. or more @
853 COMET. For Greenhouse and Trellis Growing.....	Sold out.....			
859 EARLY RED CHIEF (New). (Hot Water Treated.) See preceding page.....	1/4 Oz. 45c; 1/2 Oz. 70c; \$1.30	\$4.50	\$15.00	....
861 FIREBALL (New). Attractive Fruit, Extra Early (Hot Water Treated). See preceding page.....	1/4 Oz. 80c; 1/2 Oz. \$1.50;	2.50	7.50 22.50	\$20.00
860 GEM. (N. Y. Certified—Hot Water Treated)..... The dwarf, compact vines ripen large clusters at one time for easy picking. Fruit smooth, deep globe-shaped, coming on shortly after Valiant.	.85	2.55	8.00	7.50
867 JOHN BAER. (N. Y. Certified—Hot Water Treated)..... An old favorite, still popular with many growers. Medium early with slightly flattened smooth fruit of good color and tart flavor. Not disease-resistant.	.85	2.55	8.00	7.50
868 LONGRED. (N. Y. Certified—Hot Water Treated.) Preceding page	.85	2.55	8.00	7.50
869 MANALUCIE (New). Disease Resistant..... Grown for spring crop in Florida, worthy of trial for late crops farther north. Resistant to fusarium wilt and several other diseases. Medium-large, deep, firm, fine-flavored fruit.	.95	3.00	10.00	9.00
870 MARGLOBE..... Standard main crop variety for canning and shipping, and also used for green wraps. Smooth, deep globe fruits, very solid and firm. Vines vigorous and prolific.	.85	2.55	8.00	7.50
874 PONDEROSA. Large, Late, High Quality Pink Variety.....	.95	3.00	10.00	....
877 QUEENS. (N. Y. Certified—Hot Water Treated)..... High quality, large firm market garden tomato, 8 to 10 days earlier than Rutgers, smooth globe shape, well-colored. Fruit are thick-walled and meaty, excellent for shipping.	.85	2.55	8.00	7.50
880 RED JACKET. (N. Y. Certified—Hot Water Treated.) Fine Canner... Medium early, outstanding for heavy tonnage, widely grown for canning. Fruit somewhat flattened, sometimes rather rough for market, but large, meaty and well-colored, inside and out. Distinct potato-leaved vines. From Dr. Tapley at Geneva.	.85	2.55	8.00	7.50
883 RED TOP. (Hot Water Treated)..... Recent introduction from Dr. Tapley and now the leading paste-type tomato in the East. Fruit good-sized, 2 1/2 to 4 in. long, solid, thick-walled with rich red color. Yields well, holds up in fine condition.	.95	3.00	10.00	....
884 ROMA (New). (Hot Water Treated.) See above.....	1/2 Oz. 70c;	1.25	4.50 15.00	....
885 RUTGERS. (N. Y. Certified—Hot Water Treated.) Preceding page..	.85	2.55	8.00	7.50
888 STOKESDALE. (N. Y. Certified—Hot Water Treated)..... One of the best of the second early class for dependable production of fine smooth fruit. Medium to somewhat small in size, deep globe shape, fair color, attractive.	.85	2.55	8.00	7.50
887 SUNRAY. The Best Yellow-Orange Tomato.....	.95	3.20	11.00	....
889 VALIANT. (N. Y. Certified—Hot Water Treated.) Preceding page..	.85	2.55	8.00	7.50
891 VANCROSS. Early, Productive. (Hot Water Treated.) 1/2 Oz. 55c Harris' second generation hybrid ripens in Valiant season and generally produces better yields of smoother, cleaner fruit. Tomatoes are good sized, nearly round, meaty and of fine quality. Large vines furnish good cover.	1.00	3.50	12.00	10.00
893 TRELLIS 22. (N. Y. Certified)..... 1/4 Oz. \$1.10; 1/2 Oz. \$1.90 Developed by Dr. R. E. Young of Mass. Exceptional uniformity, ideal size, smooth flattened shape. Fruit very firm, thick-walled. Excellent handling and shipping qualities. A tremendous yield.				

## VICTOR.

This extra early tomato has been discontinued in favor of our Fireball which is earlier and more dependable.

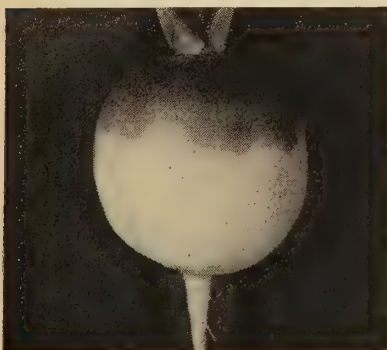
**SMALL FRUITED TOMATOES**—Popular for pickles, salads, etc. Varieties: 879 Red Cherry,

881 Red Pear, 894 Yellow Pear, 895 Yellow Plum, 863 Ground Cherry.

Pkt. 15c; 1/2 Oz. 50c; Oz. 90c; 1/4 Lb. \$3.00. Any three Pkts. 40c; any three 1/2 Oz. \$1.25.

## TURNIPS

1 to 1 1/2 lbs. of seed per acre  
in drills, or 2 to 2 1/2 lbs. broadcast



PURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE  
A superior strain.

## 920 Purple Top White Globe—Special Strain—Very Uniform

This stock of Purple Top White Globe continues to produce the smoothest, handsomest turnips we have ever seen. They are snowy white with bright purple tops and the shape is smooth and round. This strain is very uniform and all the turnips are of the finest type.

It costs no more to grow the best, and the attractive appearance of these roots makes them sell much better on the market. See prices below.

	1/4 lb.	lb.	5 lbs. or more @
906 GOLDEN BALL. The Smoothest Yellow Turnip.....	\$ .40	\$1.00	\$ .95
920 PURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE. Special Strain. See above.....	.35	.90	.85
928 SHOGGIN. The Best Foliage Variety..... The best turnip for greens, very much superior to Seven Top. The turnips are white, oblong and of fine quality. Tops light green, of good quality and grow in clusters.	.40	1.00	.95

## RUTABAGAS

	1/4 lb.	lb.	5 lbs. or more @
901 ALTA SWEET (New). Globe Shape, Fine Flavor.....	Oz. \$.25; \$.65	\$1.75	\$1.65
New high quality rutabaga from R. Simonet, Alberta, Canada. A handsome purple-topped yellow globe type, well-colored on shoulders, with extremely short necks. Especially fine-grained texture, extra sweet mild flavor. Good size and shape.			
910 IMPROVED LONG ISLAND. Fine for Market and Storage.....	.50	1.25	1.15
An excellent strain of this standard variety. Large, smooth globe-shaped roots with very little neck. Yellow with purple tops, sweet, light yellow flesh. Very heavy yields.			
915 MACOMBER, White Flesh, Finest Quality.....	Oz. \$.25; .70	2.00	1.90
Mild flavored and sweet. Roots nearly round and white in color with green or purplish tops. Clear white, fine-grained flesh. Excellent for stands and local markets.			



ROMA—Enormous yields.

## 884 Roma (New)

### Wilt Resistant Red Top

A new paste tomato, developed by Dr. W. S. Porte of the U.S.D.A., Beltsville, Md., Roma closely resembles the popular Red Top but is resistant to fusarium wilt. The vines are compact and vigorous, and they set astonishing clusters of firm plum or pear shaped fruit, bright red and measuring 2 to 4 in. long by 1 to 1 1/2 in. in diameter. We found the size, type and yield almost identical to Red Top with the same thick walls, smooth appearance and fine color. See prices at left.

## PRICES OF HYBRID TOMATOES

Hot Water Treated. (See descriptions on preceding page.)

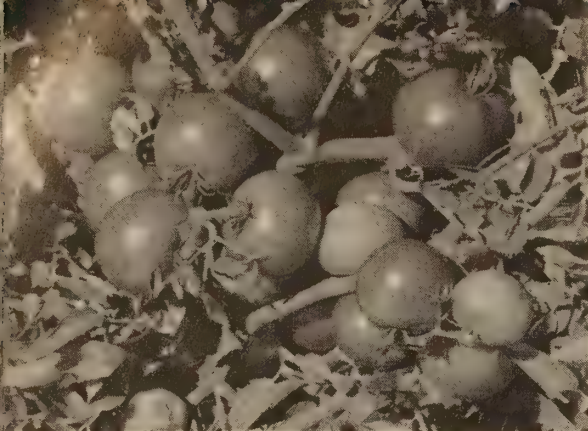
	858 EARLY HYBRID	871 MORETON HYBRID
1/16 Oz.....	\$1.75.....	\$2.20
1/8 Oz.....	3.25.....	4.00
1/4 Oz.....	5.50.....	7.50
1/2 Oz.....	10.00.....	13.50
Oz.....	18.00.....	25.00
2 Oz.....	34.00.....	48.00
3 Oz.....	48.00.....	69.00
1/4 Lb.....	60.00.....	88.00
1/2 Lb.....	112.00.....	152.00
Lb.....	288.00.....	288.00

## 886 Trellis Hybrid

For early crops on stakes, try this new F<sub>1</sub> hybrid. Uniform, medium-sized, slightly flattened fruit of true trellis type, ripening in large clusters very clearly. Best if grown on moist, fertile soil.

1/16 Oz. \$2.40; 1/8 Oz. \$4.50;  
1/4 Oz. \$8.50; 1/2 Oz. \$16.00; Oz. \$30.00.





MORETON HYBRID TOMATO

## HARRIS' MORETON HYBRID TOMATO PLANTS

We specialize in growing stocky transplanted plants of our famous Moreton Hybrid tomato, by far the best early kind. It has hybrid vigor, large size and excellent quality, ripens early and bears all season. (See description on page 20.)

### MORETON HYBRID TRANSPLANTS.

Ready about May 15th to June 5th.

100 plants \$4.95 postpaid.

Not paid: 500 \$12.50; 1000 \$22.50.

(Weight 500—about 18 lbs.

1000—about 30 lbs. Heavier later in season.)

### MORETON HYBRID SEEDLINGS.

Ready April 10th to May 15th. Small plants grown directly from seed in flats. Should be transplanted and grown in frames for several weeks before setting in field. Not less than 50 sold.

50 seedlings \$1.50; 100 \$2.50; 500 \$3.00;

1000 \$12.50 postpaid.

Sent SPECIAL HANDLING.

### POTTED MORETON HYBRID. Large Plants.

About May 15th to June 5th. Grown in individual pots for quicker starting, less shock in transplanting.

Not prepaid: 100 plants \$11.50.

(Weight about 50 lbs. per 100.)

## STRAWBERRIES *Please note shipping directions at top of page.*

Hardy, vigorous, Northern grown strawberry plants, freshly dug, carefully sorted and properly packed. Available only in April or early May. Order early. Weight 1000 plants—about 65 lbs.—heavier later in season. Full variety descriptions in retail catalog.

\*CATSKILL. Big Yields, Late-Midseason. . . . . 100 \$3.50 prepaid. Not paid: 500 \$10.50; 1000 \$19.25.

\*EMPIRE. Large, Vigorous, Handsome. . . . . 100 \$3.50 prepaid. Not paid: 500 \$10.50; 1000 \$19.25.

\*FAIRFAX. Excellent Quality. . . . . 100 \$3.50 prepaid. Not paid: 500 \$10.50; 1000 \$19.25.

\*PREMIER. Early. Standard Berry. . . . . 100 \$3.50 prepaid. Not paid: 500 \$10.50; 1000 \$19.25.

\*SPARKLE. Midseason. Attractive. . . . . 100 \$3.50 prepaid. Not paid: 500 \$10.50; 1000 \$19.25.

\*SUPERFECTION. Everbearing. . . . . 100 \$5.75 prepaid. Not paid: 500 \$17.50; 1000 \$30.00.

RED RICH. High Quality. Everbearing. . . . . 25 \$5.00; 50 \$8.50; 100 \$15.00 prepaid.

\*Grown from Virus-Free Stock.

## ASPARAGUS ROOTS

Shipped as early as weather permits.

Viking. An improved strain. (We can offer only two-year roots.) See page 1.

2-year roots—100 \$5.75 postpaid.

Not prepaid, 500 \$18.00; 1000 \$34.00.

Mary Washington. Dependable, widely grown.

1-year roots—100 \$3.95 postpaid.

Not prepaid, 500 \$11.00; 1000 \$20.00;

5000 or more at \$19.00 per M.

2-year roots—100 \$4.95 postpaid.

Not prepaid, 500 \$14.50; 1000 \$27.50;

5000 or more at \$26.00 per M.

Shipping weights:

1 yr. roots—500 about 35 lbs., 1000 about 70 lbs.

2 yr. roots—500 about 50 lbs., 1000 about 100 lbs.

## VEGETABLE PLANTS AND NURSERY STOCK

We are pleased to offer a selected list of plants and nursery stock, for our customers in the Northeast. Long distance shipments are often not satisfactory so we limit our shipments as follows:

**SHIPPING AREA**—Plants and roots on this page sent only to New England, New York, New Jersey, Penna., Ohio and Mich.

**SHIPPING CHARGES**—Where quoted "post-paid," we send by mail with no extra charge for postage. Where quoted "Not Paid" we send by express or mail at purchaser's expense.

**Express**—Sent collect—be sure to give us your nearest express office.

**Mail**—Please send us payment for postage charges with your remittance. From weights listed below, you can determine rate at your post office.

**SHIPPING DATES**—Approximate shipping dates listed below. For specific dates, mark your wishes clearly on the order and we will do our best, subject to weather conditions.

**NO C.O.D.'S**—All plants and nursery stock are strictly net cash with order and cannot be shipped C.O.D.

### SAFE ARRIVAL GUARANTEED

If your plants are delayed on the road or for any other reason they do not arrive in good condition, *notify us at once* and proper adjustment will be made. We cannot be responsible for plants living after they are planted as this depends on factors we cannot control, such as weather and soil conditions.

250 or more plants are furnished at the 500 rate; 750 or more at the 1000 rate. For prices on quantities less than listed here see our general catalog.

### Tomato Plants—Standard Varieties

We also grow sturdy transplanted plants of Fireball, Valiant, Longred, Rutgers. Ready about May 15th to June 5th.

### TOMATO TRANSPLANTS.

100 plants \$4.10 postpaid. Not paid, 500 \$9.25;

1000 \$17.50. (Weight 500 plants—about 18 lbs.

1000—about 30 lbs. Heavier later in season.)

**TOMATO SEEDLINGS.** Same varieties as transplants. Ready about April 10th to May 15th. Small plants should be transplanted and grown in frames for several weeks. Not less than 50 sold. Sent SPECIAL HANDLING.

50 for 90c; 100 \$1.45; 500 \$3.85; 1000 \$6.25 postpaid.

**POTTED TOMATOES.** Ready May 15th to June 5th. Fireball and Rutgers only.

Not prepaid: 100 plants \$9.50 (Wt. about 50 lbs.)

### CABBAGE. Well-hardened transplants.

Golden Acre Special. April 15th to May 15th.

100 plants \$3.35 postpaid. Not paid, 500 \$7.50;

1000 \$14.00. (Weight 500 plants—about 14 lbs.

1000—25 lbs.)

### MUSKMELON. Potted Plants.

Delicious 51, Iroquois, Harvest Queen. After June 5th. See our Retail Catalog for prices on small quantities. If you can pick up plants here, write for quotation on 100 plants or more.

### ONION PLANTS. Fresh, Texas-grown plants.

Sweet Spanish Utah Strain. Husky vigorous plants flown direct to us from our Texas grower in several plane-loads between April 5th and May 20th. We forward them promptly and they reach you in prime condition. Sold by bunches only. Each bunch is a handful as pulled in the field and may contain 55 to 110 or more plants, depending on the size. (Weight about 30 Lbs. per crate.)

10 bunches \$3.95 postpaid. Not paid: Crate (60 bunches) \$10.75; 4 to 9 crates at \$10.25 each; 10 or more at \$9.85 each.

### PEPPER SEEDLINGS. Small, early plants.

Vinedale, King of the North, Pennwonder, Calwonder, Hot Portugal. To be grown in frames for 3 or 4 weeks before setting out. April 15 to May 15. Not less than 50 seedlings sold. Sent SPECIAL HANDLING.

50 seedlings 95c; 100 \$1.50;

500 \$3.95; 1000 \$6.50 postpaid.

*We regret that we cannot supply transplanted pepper plants except in home garden quantities. See retail catalog.*



SPARKLE—Bright red, firm and delicious.

## RASPBERRIES

Strong, well-grown 1-year plants, selected from disease-free fields. Full variety descriptions in retail catalog. Weight: Red varieties 1000-125 lbs., Purple and Black varieties 1000-300 lbs. Not shipped beyond the 4th zone. *Please note shipping instructions at top of page.*

**COLUMBIAN (Purple).** . . . . . 100 \$14.00 prepaid. Not paid: 500 \$45.00; 1000 \$85.00.

**DURHAM (Red). Fall Bearing.** . . . . . 25 \$8.75; 50 \$15.00; 100 \$25.00 prepaid.

**LATHAM (Red). Standard Variety.** . . . . . 100 \$15.00 prepaid. Not paid: 500 \$50.00; 1000 \$90.00.

**SHUTTLEWORTH (Black) The Finest Black Cap.** . . . . 100 \$11.50 prepaid. Not paid: 500 \$35.00; 1000 \$65.00.

**TAYLOR (Red) Fine Quality. Best to grow.** . . . . 100 \$14.00 prepaid. Not paid: 500 \$45.00; 1000 \$85.00.

**SEPTEMBER (Red) Best "Everbearing" Variety.** . . . 25 \$6.50; 50 \$12.00; 100 \$18.00 prepaid.

**BAILEY BLACKBERRIES (New). High Quality.** . . . 25 \$7.50; 50 \$13.90; 100 \$22.50 prepaid.



# HARRIS' FLOWER SEEDS

FOR TERMS SEE INSIDE FRONT COVER

SEE OUR RETAIL CATALOG FOR MORE COMPLETE DESCRIPTIONS

THE NUMBER OF SEEDS PER OUNCE IS INDICATED FOR EACH FLOWER

## Harris' BEDDING PETUNIAS

*Petunias average 289,000 seeds to the ounce.*

### OPEN POLLINATED BEDDING PETUNIAS

**W3821 WHITE PERFECTION.** The best all round white open pollinated bedding petunia available because of its compact growth and abundance of bloom. 15"

**W3826 CELESTIAL ROSE.** The finest all-purpose bright pink. A clear pink without the large white throat of Rosy Morn. This is the most compact and uniform open pollinated strain available. 12"

ANY ONE OF THE ABOVE FOUR COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 45c; 1/8 Oz. 90c; 1/4 Oz. \$1.70; Oz. \$5.00.

**W3840 HARRIS' SPECIAL FOUR-COLOR MIXTURE.** In spite of all the flurry over hybrid petunias we have not sacrificed the quality of this carefully balanced mixture of the four open pollinated varieties described above. Instead, we continue our work on trueing up stocks.

EITHER OF ABOVE MIXTURES: Lg. Pkt. 40c; 1/8 Oz. 80c; 1/4 Oz. \$1.50; Oz. \$4.50.

**W3841 SNOWBALL IMPROVED.** This is considered to be the finest dwarf white of the open pollinated varieties. More compact and well rounded than many and more free flowering. 12"

**W3827 HEAVENLY BLUE IMPROVED.** Ours is a much improved strain of clear, light blue which combines so well with other petunia colors. 15"

**W3823 ROSY MORN.** An unusually good strain of the ever-popular white-throated pink for bedding, boxes, etc. 10"

ANY ONE OF ABOVE SIX COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 45c; 1/8 Oz. 90c; 1/4 Oz. \$1.70; Oz. \$5.00.

We are using and can recommend highly, the use of *Milled Sphagnum Moss* for petunia seed sowing. See page 32.

### F<sub>1</sub> HYBRID BEDDING PETUNIAS

**W3832 HARRIS' F<sub>1</sub> HYBRID, DREAM GIRL.** Since we introduced Dream Girl in 1953, we have been unable to keep up with the increasing demand for seed. Growers can sell all the plants they can produce.

The 2 1/2" blooms are a deep rose which is not harsh but practically fade-proof and the small white throat accentuates this warm color. The uniformly erect and compact plants are covered with bloom all season. Seedlings are most vigorous, and transplants sell themselves because of their sturdy appearance. 12"

**W3839 HARRIS' F<sub>1</sub> HYBRID, GYPSY.** A warm, burnished, glowing salmon-scarlet blooming early and profusely. Plants of this first generation hybrid are neat and compact about a foot high and not quite so wide. The large flowers open a vivid scarlet becoming a brilliant salmon-pink when fully mature. Blooms early and continuously. 15"

**W3848 HARRIS' F<sub>1</sub> HYBRID, SUMMER SNOW.** It was only natural that there would be a demand for a low, large, early and free flowering white hybrid so necessary to complement the red and pink hybrids. Harris' Summer Snow fills this need. The plants grow as compact mounds producing 2 1/2" blooms early and long after other white petunias have petered out. A lot of growers think it's the best white hybrid. 13"

ANY ONE OF THE ABOVE F<sub>1</sub> HYBRID BEDDING PETUNIAS: 500 seeds 90c; 1000 seeds \$1.65; 1/128 Oz. \$3.00; 1/64 Oz. \$5.50; 1/32 Oz. \$10.00; 1/16 Oz. \$18.00.

**W3825 DARK PURPLE.** A very much improved stock, very compact growing and a deep velvety dark blue-purple. 14"

**W3829 BLUE BEDDER IMPROVED.** Here is a clear mid-blue, between Heavenly Blue and various purples, that we have always wanted in a really dwarf bedding type. True medium blue, free flowering, dwarf, compact variety. 14"

**W3845 FINEST BEDDING VARIETIES MIXTURE.** We make up this mixture especially for growers whose plant customers want a wide range of color in mass plantings of dwarf petunias. Contains seed of separate varieties of white, cream, soft pink, rose, salmon, blue, violet, purple and red. 14"

**W3844 CREAM STAR.** The 2" blossoms of this variety have pointed petals which give the variety its name. Creamy yellow in color deepening to a golden yellow throat. 14"

**W3853 TWINKLES.** Very dwarf, compact, brilliant rose with a well defined pure white star. Makes a cute border that is irresistible. 10"

**W3834 HOWARD'S STAR.** Crimson-maroon with a distinct five-pointed white star. A little taller than the dwarf bedding types. 15"

ANY ONE OF ABOVE SIX COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 45c; 1/8 Oz. 90c; 1/4 Oz. \$1.70; Oz. \$5.00.

**W3849 HARRIS' F<sub>1</sub> HYBRID, STARBRIGHT.** Our new hybrid starred petunia is vastly superior to the open pollinated starred varieties. Plants are much more vigorous and upright, flowers are larger and produced in greater abundance. It is taller than some of the other hybrid bedding varieties but this only makes it more showy. Blooms are a warm rosy purple, in the center of which is a white star. 15"

**W3831 HARRIS' F<sub>1</sub> HYBRID, COVER GIRL.** For many gardeners who want pink bedding petunias in which the color is not as intense as the Celestial Rose group, Harris' Cover Girl is the answer. Apple blossom pink best describes it. The individual plants are almost globe shape and only a foot high. Dainty but with lots of sparkle. 12"

**W3820 F<sub>1</sub> HYBRID, COMANCHE.** Comanche is one of the most popular of the new petunias. It's an F<sub>1</sub> hybrid of the multiflora type with an average height of 14" and a spread of 18". Plants are base branching, semi-compact and very free flowering. The 2 1/2" to 2 3/4" slightly ruffled blooms are a fiery war-paint red which does not fade with age. Delicate veining and a velvety sheen accentuate the brilliant color. 18"

**W3838 F<sub>1</sub> HYBRID, SILVER MEDAL.** Opens warm salmon-pink changing to silvery pink as the flowers mature. Plants are taller, wider, more vigorous and more uniform in habit of growth than the open pollinated bedding varieties. 14"

ACRES OF FLOWERS AT MORETON FARM. For testing new or improved strains from seed growers all over the world.

**W3833 ELK'S STAR, LOW GROWING.** A dwarf, compact, upright growing strain producing an abundance of maroon-red flowers with a well defined white star. A shade darker than our Starbright, not as vigorous nor as free flowering. 12"

**W3822 SALMON SUPREME.** Rich coral salmon changing to soft pink. Quite low and compact. Especially popular with people who object to vivid colors. 15"

**W3843 GLOW.** The brightest light scarlet of all petunias. Since this was introduced we have been making our own selections and feel sure we are growing a most uniform strain, both in plant form and color. 14"

ANY ONE OF ABOVE THREE COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 45c; 1/16 Oz. 80c; 1/8 Oz. \$1.50; 1/4 Oz. \$2.50; Oz. \$7.50.

**W3837 CHEERFUL, LOW GROWING.** An exceptionally fine strain of this line-bred variety. Plants 10"-12" tall and spreading to 18". Flowers 2 3/4" and deeper salmon than the original strain. **Not as free flowering as Silver Medal, but the best open pollinated substitute for it.** 12"

**W3835 KING HENRY.** A deep velvety crimson of the nana compacta type which is very popular for pot plants. Flowers are large for this type and produced freely. Sometimes called Dwarf Flaming Velvet. 14"

EITHER OF ABOVE TWO VARIETIES: Lg. Pkt. 45c; 1/64 Oz. \$1.00; 1/32 Oz. \$1.75; 1/16 Oz. \$3.00; 1/8 Oz. \$5.50; 1/4 Oz. \$10.00.

**W3824 FIRE CHIEF.** The only real red in the open pollinated bedding petunias and although the plant growth is not as uniform nor the flowers as large as the new hybrids, Fire Chief has a lot to recommend it in areas where growing conditions are good. 12"

Lg. Pkt. 45c; 1/32 Oz. 90c; 1/16 Oz. \$1.65; 1/8 Oz. \$2.75; 1/4 Oz. \$5.00; 1/2 Oz. \$9.00; Oz. \$17.00.

**W3819 ADMIRAL.** We consider this by far the finest deep blue petunia because it is uniformly dwarf and has large slightly waved blooms of a rich violet-blue color. 10"

1000 seeds 70c; 1/64 Oz. \$1.25; 1/32 Oz. \$2.25; 1/16 Oz. \$3.75; 1/8 Oz. \$7.00; 1/4 Oz. \$13.00.

DREAM GIRL, SUMMER SNOW, GYPSY—Three Harris F<sub>1</sub> hybrids that have not been duplicated.

**3830 SINGLE LOW GROWING ELITE MIXTURE.** A mixture, especially blended for plant growers, of the following F<sub>1</sub> hybrid petunias: Dream Girl, Cover Girl, Starbright, Summer Snow, Gypsy, Comanche, Silver Medal. To complete the color range we have added our open pollinated Blue Bedder and Dark Purple. Because of the sturdy appearance of the plants and the blooms that appear on small transplants, this mixture is one of the most popular at our Garden Store.

500 seeds 75c; 1000 seeds \$1.40; 1/128 Oz. \$2.50; 1/64 Oz. \$4.50; 1/32 Oz. \$8.00; 1/16 Oz. \$14.00; 1/8 Oz. \$25.00.



# GIANT SINGLE AND DOUBLE PETUNIAS

## F<sub>1</sub> GRANDIFLORA FRINGED HYBRIDS

We are particularly impressed with the way these new F<sub>1</sub> Grandiflora Fringed Hybrids performed during the past hot dry summers. Hybrid vigor was apparent in the strong growth, the early and continuous bloom, the size and nonfading color and the absence of straggly growth. Sow seed in December for Easter pot plants.

**W3808 F<sub>1</sub> FIRE DANCE.** We predict that this year's All-America Award Winner, which produces 3½" deeply fringed blooms of the same spectacular orange-scarlet color as Comanche, will be just as popular as that F<sub>1</sub> Bedding variety. The large yellow throat makes the color even more spectacular. Plants grow 1 ft. tall with a 3-ft. spread. Foliage is rich, dark green.  
500 seeds \$1.75; 1000 seeds \$3.00;  
1/128 Oz. \$5.50; 1/64 Oz. \$10.00;  
1/32 Oz. \$19.00; 1/16 Oz. \$37.00.

**W3811 HARRIS' F<sub>1</sub> HYBRID, BLACK KNIGHT.** (A *Harris Exclusive*.) Our plant breeders, appreciating the need for a dwarf and 100% large flowered purple, are pleased that they are the first to have produced this new hybrid. Black Knight is the rich velvety purple of Purple Prince. 4" flowers are gracefully waved and produced in great abundance. The plants have unusual hybrid vigor producing enormous flowers while still in flats. 12"

**W3779 F<sub>1</sub> PRIMA DONNA.** Last year's All-America winner has the same general habit as Ballerina with 3½" fringed flowers of clear, deep rose borne early and continuously. Much better than Bolero which it replaces. 12"

**W3778 F<sub>1</sub> CRUSADER.** This new hybrid has 3-inch fringed white flowers irregularly striped and blotched with bright rose. Plants are dwarf, compact and very free flowering, with a diameter of 2 feet. 10"-12"

**W3807 F<sub>1</sub> HYBRID, BALLERINA.** An All-America Winner for 1952 and one of the finest petunias produced to date. The ruffled and fringed 3½" flowers of soft glowing salmon are 100% grandiflora type. Plants are dwarf and compact, not at all straggly; growth is most vigorous and extremely free flowering. Plants started to bloom June 21st from an April 1st sowing.

**W3804 F<sub>1</sub> TANGO.** A deep scarlet-salmon, more brilliant than anything seen thus far. Large, fringed flowers produced in abundance. Vigorous but dwarf plants. 12"

**W3801 F<sub>1</sub> LA PALOMA.** Single fringed pure white 3"-3½" blooms with yellow throat; 100% grandiflora. 14"

**W3810 GRANDIFLORA F<sub>1</sub> HYBRIDS MIXED.** We are offering this in response to the demand for a mixture of these new large flowered but dwarf hybrids. It will be made from the 7 separate colors above.

**ANY ONE OF ABOVE SEVEN FRINGED F<sub>1</sub> HYBRIDS:**  
500 seeds \$1.00; 1000 seeds \$1.90;  
1/128 Oz. \$3.85; 1/64 Oz. \$7.50;  
1/32 Oz. \$13.50; 1/16 Oz. \$25.00.

## OPEN POLLINATED GRANDIFLORA HYBRIDS

**W3805 CARMENCITA.** Similar to the rich scarlet-salmon of F<sub>1</sub> Tango but is not a hybrid. A gorgeous color that stands out in any planting. Large flowers are deeply fringed. Plants only 10" high.

**W3815 FRINGED SNOWSTORM.** Glistening white with a touch of yellow in the throat. Large beautifully fringed flowers are abundantly produced. 12"

**W3817 THE ART.** Also called "Columbia." An exceptionally free-flowering fringed petunia in unusual color combinations of bright reds and white, mostly in blotches. 15"

**ANY ONE OF ABOVE THREE FRINGED PETUNIAS:**  
1000 seeds 90c; 1/64 Oz. \$1.75; 1/32 Oz. \$3.00;  
1/16 Oz. \$5.50; 1/8 Oz. \$10.50.

## DOUBLE PETUNIAS

With their increasing use as bedding plants, specimen pot plants, cut flowers and the high spots in combination boxes and pots, the new double petunias are making inroads on the old standbys, such as geraniums, because they can be grown at less cost.

November sowing produces large pot plants by late April or early May; December and January, 2½" to 3" pot plants for May sales.

Use milled sphagnum or sterilized soil for seed sowing and 60° to 65° temperatures for germination. Don't cover the seed with soil. Use newspapers to keep the surface moist. A 50° temperature after germination makes for huskier plants.

## CANADIAN 100% DOUBLE

**W3795 ALL DOUBLE COLOSSAL SHADES OF ROSE.** A very dwarf compact strain especially desirable for potting because the plants branch freely and remain dwarf. The full double blooms, often 5" in diameter, include light and deep rose, copper rose, light salmon and magenta. Largest flowered of any of the double varieties. 12"

**W3781 CANADIAN SALMON.** (A *Harris Introduction*.) A worthy addition to the Canadian Doubles with 4" to 5" blooms of sparkling salmon-pink fully double and well fringed. The plants are the dwarf and compact form typical of all the Canadian group, and exceptionally uniform in plant habit and color. 12"

**W3782 CANADIAN CLEAR ROSE.** Bright sparkling rose with no mauve nor magenta. Unusually free flowering. 12"

**W3780 CANADIAN ALL DOUBLE MIXTURE.** A mixture of many shades of rose and salmon plus mauve and white. All the Canadian Doubles are 100% large flowering and produce dwarf, compact, bushy plants ideal for potting or garden culture. 12"

**ANY ONE OF ABOVE FOUR COLORS:** 500 seeds \$1.90;  
1000 seeds \$3.25; 1/128 Oz. \$5.75; 1/64 Oz. \$10.00;  
1/32 Oz. \$19.00; 1/16 Oz. \$36.00.

## PAN AMERICAN 100% DOUBLE AMERICAN GROWN PETUNIAS

**W3784 NOCTURNE (Dark Purple).** Deep midnight purple. A high percentage of large, fringed doubles. The only good double of this color. Plants fairly dwarf. 12"

**W3786 SONATA (White).** Best double white yet produced. Huge blossoms, deeply fringed, fully double. Plants semi-dwarf, free branching are improved by early pinching. 14"

**W3787 CAPRICE (Rose Pink).** Brilliant rose pink blossoms are large, deeply fringed and fully double; plants dwarf and compact. 12"

**W3788 ALLEGRO (Salmon).** Giant deep salmon blossoms deeply fringed; color and form 100% true; plants dwarf; a real sensation. 12"

**ANY ONE OF ABOVE FOUR COLORS:** 500 seeds \$2.50;  
1000 seeds \$4.00; 1/128 Oz. \$7.25; 1/64 Oz. \$14.00;  
1/32 Oz. \$27.00; 1/16 Oz. \$52.00.

## OTHER DOUBLE PETUNIAS

**W3796 ALL DOUBLE GIANT WHITE.** New this year, Giant White is more double, slightly larger, and better fringed than Sonata. The flowers remain pure white under all temperatures. Plants are 14" tall with a 3' spread. 14"

**W3797 ALL DOUBLE GIANT ORCHID.** Large, 4 to 5 inch fully double flowers of uniformly deep orchid shade. So much better than Minuet in color, size and bloom that we are offering only this new one. Plants grow about 1' tall with a 3' spread.

**W3792 VICTORIOUS GAITY.** Large fully double flowers beautifully striped and mottled pink and white remind one of a tight cluster of apple blossoms. Plants dwarf and compact making it a good subject for pot plants. 10"

**ANY ONE OF ABOVE THREE COLORS:** 500 seeds \$2.50;  
1000 seeds \$4.00; 1/128 Oz. \$7.25; 1/64 Oz. \$14.00;  
1/32 Oz. \$27.00; 1/16 Oz. \$52.00.

**W3772 DOUBLE AMERICA.** The first 100% all double petunia ever created in America. Compact plants 1 ft. high and 1½ ft. across. Small, rose-pink, carnation-flowered blooms. 10"

500 seeds \$1.25; 1000 seeds \$2.00; 1/128 Oz. \$3.50;  
1/64 Oz. \$6.50; 1/32 Oz. \$12.00; 1/16 Oz. \$22.00.

**W3785 HARRIS' SELECTED MIXTURE.** To give you a complete color range of the finest double petunias, we make this special mixture from all of the large flowered double varieties in our list.

500 seeds \$2.25; 1000 seeds \$3.75;  
1/128 Oz. \$6.75; 1/64 Oz. \$12.50;  
1/32 Oz. \$24.00; 1/16 Oz. \$46.00.

## GIANT RUFFLED PETUNIAS

**W3802 HARRIS' PARAMOUNT GIANTS.** An extra fine strain of our own growing especially selected for florists' use. In our Trial Grounds they compare most favorably with strains available from many sources and at higher prices. Immense, deep throated, beautifully ruffled and frilled flowers in a range of vivid and delicate colors, from rich purple through rose and pink to lilac, are produced while the plants are still small. 10"

500 seeds 75c; 1000 seeds \$1.35; 1/64 Oz. \$2.75;  
1/32 Oz. \$4.75; 1/16 Oz. \$8.50; 1/8 Oz. \$15.00;  
1/4 Oz. \$28.00.

**W3806 DWARF CALIFORNIA GIANTS, Mixed Colors.** While not comparable to Harris' Paramount Giants in size and color range, this is a very good strain of seed grown in California. The plants are dwarf and fairly compact and bloom freely. 8"

500 seeds 70c; 1000 seeds \$1.25; 1/64 Oz. \$2.50;  
1/32 Oz. \$4.25; 1/16 Oz. \$7.50; 1/8 Oz. \$13.00.

## GIANT WAVED PETUNIAS

**W3812 POPCORN.** New several years ago, this dwarf, large flowered white, seems to have done well in some areas and is well worth a trial. It is very similar to Snowstorm but the plants are a little lower. Popcorn is particularly valuable because of its earliness and vigor. 12"

1000 seeds \$1.75; 1/64 Oz. \$3.30; 1/32 Oz. \$6.00;  
1/16 Oz. \$9.50; 1/8 Oz. \$18.00; 1/4 Oz. \$35.00.

**W3813 PINK GLORY.** Large 3 inch well formed flowers of luminous rose-pink with white throat and ruffled edge. An old established variety that is still very popular. 10"

**W3809 HARRIS' ROYALTY.** Beautiful large velvety flowers vary from pure white touched with purple through many combinations of purple and white to rich self-colored blooms. 15"

**W3814 HARRIS' GIANT SNOWSTORM.** Very large, waved, pure white flowers on low growing plants. Blooms constantly in the garden and sells well as potted plants. 14"

**W3818 ELKS PRIDE (Dwarf).** Large flowers of a deep velvety purple and plants which do well in pots make this a very popular petunia in many areas. 12"

**W3816 HARRIS' PURPLE PRINCE.** The large, deep violet-blue blooms of velvet texture with wide open throats and beautifully waved petals make our Purple Prince the finest in this class. 14" (See *Black Knight* for the F<sub>1</sub> hybrid of Purple Prince.)

**ANY ONE OF ABOVE FIVE COLORS:** 1000 seeds 90c;  
1/64 Oz. \$1.75; 1/32 Oz. \$3.00; 1/16 Oz. \$5.50;  
1/8 Oz. \$10.50; 1/4 Oz. \$20.00.

DOUBLE PETUNIAS—Our list contains only the outstanding performers.





# ASTERS

14,000 seeds to the ounce.

## WILT RESISTANT ASTERS

### HARRIS' 8-BEST MIXTURE

For good performance under all conditions, for wide color range and variation in form of flowers there is no finer mixture. We use equal quantities of the following eight wilt resistant varieties.

Crego Shell Pink	Early Giant Light Blue
Crego Salmon Rose	Early Giant Peach Blossom
Peerless Pink	Am. Branching Purple
Heart of France	Am. Branching White

### W1500 EIGHT BEST MIXTURE.

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ¼ Oz. 90c; Oz. \$3.00; ¼ Lb. \$9.50.

## BALL TYPE ASTERS

Bred particularly for commercial cut flowers, these are greatly improved American Branching Asters characterized by large, practically full double flowers, rarely showing the yellow centers. Six to eight stems, with few laterals, branch from the base. Under cloth shade, stems are 3 ft. long; outdoors, 2 ft.

W1701 White	W1704 Azure Blue
W1702 Pink	W1705 Purple
W1703 Rose	W1700 Mixed Colors

ANY ONE OF ABOVE COLORS: Lg. Pkt. \$1.00; ½ Oz. \$1.75; ¼ Oz. \$3.25; Oz. \$9.50.

## NEW EARLY GIANT ASTERS

These shaggy Early Giants have just about reached perfection. They bloom a month earlier than the old California Giants, are wilt resistant and the large flowers with broad gracefully inter-twined petals are borne on strong, heavy stems on which few laterals are produced. 1½'

W1821 White	W1824 Light Blue
W1822 Rose Marie. Bright rose	W1825 Crimson
W1823 Peach Blossom. Soft pink	

ANY ONE OF ABOVE COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 40c; ¼ Oz. \$1.25; Oz. \$3.75.

W1820 VARIETY MIXTURE. A balanced mixture made from the above five colors.

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ¼ Oz. \$1.00; Oz. \$3.50.

## AMERICAN BRANCHING ASTERS

The standard mid-season variety with broad incurved petals. 2'

W1601 White	W1605 Purple
W1602 Flesh Pink	W1606 Crimson
W1603 Rose	W1607 Peach Blossom
W1604 Azure Blue	

ANY ONE OF ABOVE COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 75c; Oz. \$2.50.

### W1600 VARIETY MIXTURE.

Lg. Pkt. 20c; ¼ Oz. 65c; Oz. \$2.00; ¼ Lb. \$6.50.

## HEART OF FRANCE

W1078. The gorgeous red color that is not duplicated in any other variety. Same type as American Branching. 18"

Lg. Pkt. 40c; ¼ Oz. \$1.25; Oz. \$3.75.

## PEERLESS PINK

W1066. This is still the most popular light pink aster. Large double American Branching type flowers on vigorous plants. 2'

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 75c; Oz. \$2.50.

## CREGO ASTERS

Also called "Ostrich Feather" Asters. Large flowers with long twisted petals. Bloom with American Branching. 2'

W1401 White	W1404 Azure Blue
W1402 Shell Pink	W1405 Purple
W1403 Salmon Rose	

ANY ONE OF ABOVE COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 75c; Oz. \$2.50.

### W1400 VARIETY MIXTURE.

Lg. Pkt. 20c; ¼ Oz. 65c; Oz. \$2.00; ¼ Lb. \$6.50.

## PRINCESS ASTERS

W1090 MIXED COLORS. The 3"-3½" blossoms with deep crested centers surrounded by several rows of dainty plume-like guard petals are borne on 2-2½' stalks. Our mixture contains the following colors: white, creamy yellow, salmon pink, deep rose, reddish crimson, lavender and deep blue. Free flowering, early and a good shipper. 2½'

Lg. Pkt. 40c; ¼ Oz. \$1.00; Oz. \$3.50.

## NEW BLUE PEONY ASTER

W1774. This 1956 introduction looks like the finest cut flower variety for florists developed thus far. Plants show unusual vigor, growing 30 inches tall producing 12 or more fully double flowers with no trace of the center and with 12 to 14 inch stems with few laterals. Blooms directly after Cregos and Late Branching.

Lg. Pkt. \$1.00; ½ Oz. \$1.75; ¼ Oz. \$3.25; Oz. \$9.50.

## BOUQUET TYPE ASTERS

This is the new upright and compact aster which was introduced in '54. It receives a sensational response from people who see it in our Test Gardens. The plants are two feet tall with flower stems coming from the base. It is a midseason variety blooming with Cregos and American Branching and having perfectly formed 3-inch quilled blooms similar to the Princess type. The whole plant, which grows only 12 inches wide, may be cut or individual long-stemmed blooms. Plants "sell like hot cakes" at our Garden Store.

W1151 White	W1155 Scarlet
W1152 Coppery Rose	W1156 Azure Blue
W1153 Rose Pink	W1157 Purple
W1154 Crimson	

ANY ONE OF ABOVE COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 45c; ¼ Oz. \$1.50; Oz. \$4.50.

W1150 BOUQUET POWDER PUFFS (Mixed Colors). To assure a really well balanced color range, we make our mixture from the seven above colors.

Lg. Pkt. 40c; ¼ Oz. \$1.35; Oz. \$4.00; ¼ Lb. \$14.00.

## NON-WILT RESISTANT ASTERS

If grown in uninfected soil these varieties are sturdy enough to give excellent results.

### UPRIGHT SINGLE

W1830 Rainbow Mixture. Immense single daisy-like flowers with small, bright yellow centers. Long graceful petals in shades of pink, rose, lavender and purple. 2'

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 55c; Oz. \$1.75.

### IMBRICATED POMPONS

W1100 Mixed Colors. Similar to Pompon Chrysanthemums but providing colors not available in "mums." Planted close and grown under cloth the stems are good length for cutting. Grown outdoors the whole plant is cut at one time. Blooms early September. Rich scarlet, purple, lavender, rose and white in our mixture. 15"

Lg. Pkt. 45c; ¼ Oz. \$1.50; Oz. \$4.50.

## ALYSSUM

(79,000 seeds.) Royal Carpet and Carpet of Snow growing 4" high and spreading about 12" are perfect companions. Little Gem grows as a neat, upright mound 6" high. Violet Queen is lighter and taller than Royal Carpet. We find a ready sale for plants of alyssum which we grow in Tom Thumb flats. (See inside back cover.)

¼ Oz. Oz. ¼ Lb.

W2020 Sweet 1'	\$ .30	\$ 1.00	\$ 3.25
W2021 Little Gem 6"	.40	1.25	4.00
W2022 Carpet of Snow 4"	.40	1.25	4.00
W2023 Violet Queen 7"	.40	1.25	4.00

W2024 ROYAL CARPET. Deep violet blue in color, only 4" high but spreading 12", Royal Carpet is an invaluable edging plant and one of the most popular flowers of recent introduction.

Lg. Pkt. 40c; ¼ Oz. 75c; ¼ Oz. \$1.25; Oz. \$4.50; ¼ Lb. \$15.00.

## AGERATUM

(238,000 seeds.) We are continually working to true up our stocks of Ageratum and believe ours are now the most uniform available from seed. Sow in January for spring pot plants and combinations; February for bedding plant sales.

W2011 LITTLE BLUE STAR. Particularly valuable because of its earliness and the abundance of small warm blue flower heads held well above the foliage. 7"

Lg. Pkt. 40c; ¼ Oz. 85c; ¼ Oz. \$1.50; Oz. \$5.00.

W2012 MIDGET BLUE. Very dwarf compact small leaved plants which are low mounds of soft blue all summer. 5"

Lg. Pkt. 45c; ¼ Oz. \$1.10; ¼ Oz. \$1.75; Oz. \$6.00.

W2013 BLUE BEDDER. One of the finest varieties from seed since it produces such large flower clusters on uniformly dwarf plants. 7"

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ¼ Oz. 80c; ¼ Oz. \$1.35; Oz. \$4.50.

W2014 BLUE BALL. The large showy flower clusters make this the most popular for pot plants, combinations and window boxes as well as borders. 6"

Lg. Pkt. 45c; ¼ Oz. \$1.10; ¼ Oz. \$1.75; Oz. \$6.00.



THE NEW BLUE PEONY ASTER—The greatest aster development in recent years.

## ANCHUSA

W2041 BLUE BIRD. Sprays of vivid indigo blue all summer. A good blue filler for cut flowers. 2' ¼ Oz. 40c; Oz. \$1.00.

## ASPARAGUS FERN

W2090 Plumosus Nanus	W2091 Sprengerii
EITHER OF ABOVE TWO: 100 seeds 30c; 1000 seeds \$2.50; 3000 seeds \$6.00.	

## BALSAM (Lady Slipper)

### DOUBLE BUSH FLOWERED BALSAM

W2118 SCARLET. (3,000 seeds.) Plants are neat little mounds of bright green with camellia-like flowers borne above the foliage. 14"

Lg. Pkt. 30c; ¼ Oz. 70c; Oz. \$2.25; ¼ Lb. \$8.00.

### W2115 MIXED COLORS.

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 60c; Oz. \$2.00; ¼ Lb. \$7.00.

### CAMELLIA FLOWERED BALSAM

W2110 BRILLIANT MIXTURE. The old fashioned type with short stemmed double flowers in the axils of the leaves. Ours is a greatly improved strain with larger flowers. The mixture contains white, rose and scarlet. 14"

¼ Oz. 35c; Oz. 95c.

## BEGONIAS

See next page.

## BELLS OF IRELAND

W2160. This is an old everlasting flower which has had a revival because of its 2 to 3 ft. spikes of green, shell-shaped flowers. They provide interesting green cut flowers with gladiolus and other spiky flowers. We have had calls for plants and think there will be more as it becomes better known.

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ½ Oz. 60c; ¼ Oz. \$1.00; Oz. \$3.00.

## BELLIS (English Daisy)

(192,000 seeds.) Planted in July or August, English Daisies are handled like pansies and forget-me-not and are just as popular as these two for spring bedding plants. 6"

W2141 Monstrosa White	W2142 Monstrosa Rose
W2143 Monstrosa Red	

ANY ONE OF ABOVE COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 45c; ½ Oz. \$1.10; ¼ Oz. \$2.00; Oz. \$6.00.

W2140 MIXED COLORS. Made up of the above three colors.

Lg. Pkt. 40c; ½ Oz. 85c; ¼ Oz. \$1.75; Oz. \$5.50.

## BROWALLIA

### W2184 ELATA BLUE

(65,000 seeds.) Neat bushy plants completely covered with small flowers of indigo blue. Provides the needed blue in an annual planting. 18"

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 60c; Oz. \$2.00.

## CANDYTUFT

W2275 HYACINTH FLOWERED WHITE. (12,000 seeds.) Some florists find this a profitable cut-flower crop and certainly it is one of the best "fillers" for floral work.

¼ Oz. 40c; Oz. \$1.25; ¼ Lb. \$3.75.

### W2270 UMBELLATA RAINBOW MIXTURE:

¼ Oz. 25c; Oz. 75c; ¼ Lb. \$2.25.



## BEGONIA SEEDS

### FIBROUS ROOTED

(33,000 seeds in 1/32 ounce.) The following are the outstanding varieties in the dwarf to intermediate class of fibrous rooted begonias.

**W2131 SNOW BANK.** The best dwarf large flowering pure glistening white. Light green foliage; dense even growth. 8"

1000 seeds 60c; 1/64 Oz. \$2.50; 1/32 Oz. \$4.50.

**W2135 ADELIN.** An extremely free flowering dwarf variety with foliage slightly tinged with red and bright rose-pink blooms. 6"

1000 seeds 70c; 1/64 Oz. \$2.75; 1/32 Oz. \$5.00.

**W2136 LUMINOSA COMPACTA.** Vivid scarlet-red blooms and light bronze foliage. 5"

1000 seeds 70c; 1/64 Oz. \$2.75; 1/32 Oz. \$5.00.

**W2137 INDIAN MAID.** Large salmon-scarlet blooms in contrast to the deep bronze foliage. 10"

1000 seeds 60c; 1/64 Oz. \$2.50; 1/32 Oz. \$4.50.

**W2138 BALL RED.** Brightest scarlet-red flowers; reddish green leaves. Very free flowering. 8"

1000 seeds 60c; 1/64 Oz. \$2.50; 1/32 Oz. \$4.50.

**W2130 MIXED COLORS.** A well balanced mixture of the above five varieties. 5"-10"

1000 seeds 60c; 1/64 Oz. \$2.50; 1/32 Oz. \$4.50.

## BEGONIA BULBS

### TUBEROUS ROOTED

Healthy, 2-inch and up bulbs of Giant Camellia-Flowered Tuberous Begonias, that sell so well as pot plants in the spring, are available in the following colors: white, pink, salmon, yellow, copper, red and a mixture of these six colors:

25 bulbs \$5.25; 50 bulbs \$10.00;

100 bulbs \$19.00 postpaid.

## CALENDULA

(4,000 seeds.) Planted in late June to mature in September and October, Calendulas will escape injury from insect pests and develop into large, long stemmed stock. Earlier plantings may be protected with DDT or Malathion.

### STANDARD VARIETIES

**W2201 Orange King (Improved 18")**

**W2202 Lemon Queen 18"**

EITHER OF ABOVE COLORS: 1/4 Oz. 35c;  
Oz. \$1.00; 1/4 Lb. \$3.00.

### PACIFIC BEAUTIES

The new Pacific Beauties produce uniformly large, well formed flowers with wide incurving petals, which cover the center and are often tipped with mahogany-red. Colors clearer than in older varieties; stems longer and straighter. Hold up well in the hot weather. 18"

**W2221 Persimmon**

**W2223 Cream**

**W2222 Lemon**

**W2224 Apricot**

ANY ONE OF ABOVE COLORS: 1/4 Oz. 40c;  
Oz. \$1.25; 1/4 Lb. \$3.75.

**W2220 PACIFIC BEAUTY MIXTURE.**

1/4 Oz. 35c; Oz. \$1.00; 1/4 Lb. \$3.00.

## CASTOR BEAN (Ricinus)

**W2500 TROPICAL MIXTURE.** (30 seeds.) This tall growing, large-leaved plant is very popular planted with Cannas or used for a tall, quick growing screen. 10'-12'

Oz. 30c; 1/4 Lb. 90c.

**CELOSIA FOREST FIRE—We predict a bright future for this new cockscomb.**



## CARNATION (Annual)

**W2290 GIANT DOUBLE CHAUBAUD, MIXED COLORS.** (14,000 seeds.) If grown under cool conditions, blooms are often as large as greenhouse stock. Seed sown early will produce a continuous crop of summer cut flowers that are large, full double and sweet scented. The mixture contains reds, pinks, yellow and white. 18"

Lg. Pkt. 35c; 1/8 Oz. 50c; 1/4 Oz. 90c;  
Oz. \$3.00; 1/4 Lb. \$10.00.

**W2295 DWARF COMPACT TOM THUMB, MIXED COLORS.** New for 1956 is this dwarf, compact strain of Giant Chaubauds with 2 1/4" flowers. Because the plants grow erect and hold their flowers upright, they have "eye appeal" in the transplant stage. The mixture includes white, scarlet, crimson, rose and striped. 10"

Lg. Pkt. 45c; 1/8 Oz. \$1.00; 1/4 Oz. \$1.75;  
Oz. \$5.50.

## CELOSIA (Cockscomb)

Recently there has been a revival of interest in Celosia for bedding, pot plants and florists cut flowers. The improved varieties in both the Plumed and Crested types are responsible for this, no doubt.

### FEATHERED OR PLUMED TYPES (43,000 seeds)

**W2376 DWARF FIRE FEATHER.** Uniformly dwarf, compact, many branched plants produce pyramids of rich, fiery crimson, silky plumes. 12"

Lg. Pkt. 30c; 1/4 Oz. 80c; Oz. \$2.50.

**2377 DWARF GOLDEN FEATHER.** Deep golden yellow plumes, of the same form as Fire Feather. Plants a little taller. 14"

Lg. Pkt. 30c; 1/4 Oz. 80c; Oz. \$2.50.

**W2371 GOLDEN FLEECE.** This new giant Plumed Cockscomb opens a soft yellow and changes to tawny yellow with age. The long clean stems make it an attractive addition to the summer cut flower list. May be used as an everlasting, too. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 35c; 1/8 Oz. 50c; 1/4 Oz. 90c; Oz. \$3.00.

**W2372 PLUMOSA CRIMSON.** An unbelievably beautiful bright red companion to Golden Fleece. The undertone is yellow rather than the usual magenta. Stunning with white gladiolus. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 30c; 1/4 Oz. 80c; Oz. \$2.50.

**W2374 TALL PLUMED FOREST FIRE.** Visitors to our Trial Grounds this summer were most enthusiastic about this spectacular new plumed Cockscomb. The branching plants produce large heavy plumes of a dazzling orange-scarlet which is set off by the dark, bronze red foliage. You can sell plants of this with assurance. 30"

Lg. Pkt. 35c; 1/8 Oz. 50c; 1/4 Oz. 90c; Oz. \$3.00.

**W2370 THOMPSONI MAGNIFICA, TALL MIXED.** Graceful feathery plumes, 2 1/2 to 3 ft. in many shades of reds and yellows.

Lg. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 Oz. 60c; Oz. \$2.00.

### CRESTED OR CRISTATA TYPE (35,000 seeds)

**W2386 TOREADOR.** This All-America Winner for '55 is a semi-tall crested cockscomb, bright lustrous red with scarlet highlights and light green foliage. Typical plants produce a large center head with from 2 to 6 laterals even with it. Toreador will have a lot of publicity so there will be a demand for plants from home gardeners and industrial concerns. 20"

Lg. Pkt. 65c; 1/8 Oz. \$1.65; 1/4 Oz. \$3.00; Oz. \$9.00.

**W2384 DWARF CRESTED EMPRESS.** Large dark crimson flower heads and dark red leaves. Early flowering and quite uniformly 10 to 12 inches tall.

Lg. Pkt. 35c; 1/8 Oz. 50c; 1/4 Oz. 90c; Oz. \$3.00.

**W2380 FINEST DWARF MIXED COLORS.** Enormous combs in shades of yellow, orange, rose, and red on 12 to 15 in. plants.

Lg. Pkt. 30c; 1/4 Oz. 80c; Oz. \$2.50.

## CENTAUREA (Bachelor Button)

(6,000 seeds.)

**W2321 Snow Man**

**W2324 Red Boy**

**W2322 Pinkie**

**W2325 Blue Boy**

ANY ONE OF ABOVE COLORS: 1/4 Oz. 30c;

Oz. 85c; 1/4 Lb. \$2.75.

**W2320 MIXED COLORS.**

1/4 Oz. 25c; Oz. 75c;

1/4 Lb. \$2.25.

**W2340 SWEET SULTAN, MIXED COLORS.**

1/4 Oz. 40c; Oz. \$1.25.

## CHRYSANTHEMUM (Annual)

**W2400 MERRY MIXTURE.** (10,000 seeds.) These single daisy-like, long lasting cut flowers are easily grown. Our mixture contains combinations of yellow and mahogany, pink and purple all with chocolate brown centers. 20"

1/4 Oz. 45c; Oz. \$1.50.

## CLEOME (Spider Plant)

**W2416 PINK QUEEN.** (22,000 seeds.) The large heads of unusual rosy pink flowers are making cleome increasingly popular for mass plantings in parks, etc. Blooms continuously from July until frost. 3 1/2'

**W2417 HELEN CAMPBELL.** (14,200 seeds.) The white Cleome that is the best tall white annual available. 3 1/2'

EITHER OF ABOVE COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 25c;  
1/4 Oz. 60c; Oz. \$2.00.

## COLEUS

**W2511 HARRIS' EXTRA FANCY MIXTURE.** (7,000 seeds in 1/16 ounce.) We grow the seed of this large leaved Coleus ourselves, constantly selecting for good color and form, and know it is far superior to any coleus on the market. The light and brilliant color combinations are unusually showy, all dull and unattractive ones having been taken out. The plants are broad and compact. Many growers who formerly raised Coleus from cuttings are finding that it is much more profitable to use seed of our Extra Fancy Mixture. 2'

Lg. Pkt. 50c; 1/64 Oz. 90c; 1/16 Oz. \$2.75;  
1/8 Oz. \$5.00.

**W2510 HARRIS' RAINBOW MIXTURE.** This is the smaller leaved Coleus which we grow from stock, on which we have been making selections for years, to get brighter color and better plant form. We doubt that there is a better strain available.

Lg. Pkt. 35c; 1/8 Oz. \$1.25;  
1/4 Oz. \$2.50; Oz. \$8.00.

## COSMOS

(5,500 seeds.)

**W2466 Sensation, Purity White.**

**W2467 Sensation, Pinkie.**

**W2469 Radiance, Rosy red with a crimson center.**

ANY ONE OF ABOVE THREE COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 20c;  
1/4 Oz. 45c; Oz. \$1.50.

**W2465 SENSATION MIXED COLORS:** Lg. Pkt. 15c;  
1/4 Oz. 40c; Oz. \$1.25; 1/4 Lb. \$3.75.

## DAHLIAS

**W2606 UNWIN'S DWARF HYBRIDS.** (4,000 seeds.) Getting more popular every year with home gardeners and florists for bedding and cut flowers. Start seed in January for pot plants that command a good price. A February sowing of these annual dahlias will provide an abundance of long-stemmed double and semi-double cut flowers from August until October. Colors range from vivid reds, through soft pinks, yellow and orange to pale buff. 2'

Lg. Pkt. 35c; 1/8 Oz. 45c; 1/4 Oz. 75c; Oz. \$2.50.

## DIANTHUS (Pinks)

**W2675 HEDDEWEGI DOUBLE SALMON AND RED SHADES.** The 2" double flowers of this new variety are salmon, salmon rose and red shades; colors usually lacking in most mixtures. Makes an unusually charming border. 12"

Lg. Pkt. 35c; 1/4 Oz. 60c; Oz. \$2.00.

**W2670 HEDDEWEGI DOUBLE MIXED COLORS.** (23,000 seeds.) Large double and semi-double fragrant blooms in a scale of colors ranging from rich crimson through delicate pink to white and interesting combinations of these colors. 15"

Lg. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 Oz. 45c; Oz. \$1.50.

**W2680 HEDDEWEGI GAIETY.** Large, single, deeply fringed flowers in brilliant shades of pink, white, red and maroon. Very popular edging plant. 15"

Lg. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 Oz. 45c; Oz. \$1.50.

## DRACAENA (Spikes)

**W2750 INDIVISA.** (1500 seeds.) Still very popular for window box and urn plantings. 2'

Oz. 75c; 1/4 Lb. \$2.25.

## DUSTY MILLER

**W2355 CINERARIA MARITIMA, DIAMOND.** (85,000 seeds.) Fine cut foliage; uniformly dwarf growth. The best Dusty Miller for edging, window boxes and combinations. 1'

1/4 Oz. 40c; Oz. \$1.25.

*I've bought your pansy seed for years and there's none better. I've tried 'em all. My customers come back year after year for "Swiss Giant."*

Charles M. Parker—Fiskdale, Mass.—7/1/55





REGAL LARKSPUR—An inexpensive cut flower.

## LARKSPUR

(9,000 seeds.) These new Regal Larkspurs again proved their superiority to all other strains planted in our Trial Grounds. They are outstanding because of their vigorous growth, very large florets, which are shatter-resistant, and the abundance of long-stemmed cut flower material they provide. Impressive, too, is their ability to produce good blooms for many weeks.

A sowing in late August or September produces a good early summer cut flower crop. 3'

<b>W3261 White</b>	<b>W3266 Pink</b>
<b>W3262 Rose</b>	<b>W3267 Lilac</b>
<b>W3264 Supreme Salmon</b>	<b>W3268 Salmon Rose</b>
<b>W3265 Dark Blue</b>	

ANY ONE OF ABOVE COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 60c; Oz. \$1.60; ¼ Lb. \$5.00.

**W3260 REGAL VARIETY MIXTURE.** Our own mixture of the above seven colors.

Lg. Pkt. 20c; ¼ Oz. 50c; Oz. \$1.50; ¼ Lb. \$4.50.

## MATRICARIA (Feverfew)

**W3441 DOUBLE WHITE IMPROVED.** (150,000 seeds.) There is a general demand for long stemmed white flowers during the summer months and this improved strain provides such material in abundance. Sown in January and planted out in spring, Matricaria is ready for cutting in July and August. 2'

Lg. Pkt. 75c; ½ Oz. \$1.75; ¼ Oz. \$3.00; Oz. \$10.00.

## MARIGOLDS

8 to 10 thousand seeds to the ounce.

### MEDIUM AND TALL VARIETIES

#### Chrysanthemum-Flowered Marigolds

**W3411 GOLDEN CROWN.** A stand-out in our Marigold Trials this summer because of its earliness and profusion of bloom. Color is a clear canary yellow, lighter than Happiness. Flowers are the form of Mammoth Mum but not so large. Blooms in early August with Happiness and Honeycomb. 2'

Lg. Pkt. 45c; ½ Oz. 80c; ¼ Oz. \$1.50; Oz. \$4.50; ¼ Lb. \$15.00.

**W3438 HAPPINESS.** A new, very early flowering marigold with bright golden yellow 3' blooms that completely cover the plants. Ideal for pot plants and for plant sales because they bloom while still very small. 16"

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 75c; Oz. \$2.00; ¼ Lb. \$6.00.

**W3439 HONEYCOMB.** Similar to Happiness in size, earliness and profusion of bloom but the color is vivid orange and the quilled petal arrangement gives a honeycomb effect. Odorless foliage. 18"

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ¼ Oz. 85c; Oz. \$3.00; ¼ Lb. \$9.50.

**W3409 GLITTERS.** The 3" shaggy chrysanthemum-flowered blooms of this All-America Winner are a bright canary yellow and abundantly produced on long strong stems. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 75c; Oz. \$2.00; ¼ Lb. \$6.00.

**W3408 MAMMOTH MUM.** This large chrysanthemum-flowered marigold can be depended upon to give an abundance of bloom earlier than other long stemmed varieties in its class. The 3 to 3½" blooms are a soft yellow color. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 80c; Oz. \$2.50; ¼ Lb. \$6.00.

### African or Ball Type Marigolds

**W3404 ORANGE ALL-DOUBLE.** Large balls of loosely placed quilled petals in a dazzling orange. 3½"

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ¼ Oz. 80c; Oz. \$2.50.

**W3405 LEMON ALL-DOUBLE.** A rich lemon yellow which grows exactly like Orange All-Double. Both of these come almost 100% full double.

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ¼ Oz. 80c; Oz. \$2.50.

**W3400 ALL-DOUBLE MIXED COLORS.** A mixture of the Lemon and Orange.

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 75c; Oz. \$2.00.

**W3407 SUNSET GIANTS.** The largest of the new Marigolds, a large percentage 4" or more across. They vary in size and shape and range from creamy yellows through deeper yellows to shades of orange. 3½"-4"

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 55c; Oz. \$1.75; ¼ Lb. \$5.25.

### Carnation-Flowered Marigolds

**W3428 REAL GOLD.** Enormous flowers with petals gracefully arranged. Color soft orange shaded yellow. Blooms early. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 75c; Oz. \$2.00; ¼ Lb. \$6.00.

**W3426 YELLOW SUPREME.** A loose petalled, tall bright yellow which blooms early on long stems. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 65c; Oz. \$1.75; ¼ Lb. \$5.50.

**W3425 ODORLESS CARNATION FLOWERED MIXTURE.** For those people who object to the pungent Marigold odor, this mixture is made up of large carnation flowered varieties in shades of orange and yellow. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 50c; Oz. \$1.60; ¼ Lb. \$5.00.

### SINGLE MARIGOLDS

**W3436 SUNNY.** A fine addition to the single French marigold with its clear bright yellow 2" flowers with delicate cerise markings at the base of petals. 18"

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 45c; Oz. \$1.50; ¼ Lb. \$4.75.

**W3433 FLASH.** These single flowers 1½" across are a bright combination of colors from vivid red through burnished copper to bright yellow. Plants uniformly compact. Blooms in 8 weeks from seed. 20"

Lg. Pkt. 20c; ¼ Oz. 40c; Oz. \$1.25; ¼ Lb. \$4.00.

**W3434 NAUGHTY MARIETTA.** Single 2" flowers are a warm yellow with a mahogany spot at the base of petals. Unsurpassed for bedding or cut flowers. 18"

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 45c; Oz. \$1.50; ¼ Lb. \$4.75.

**W3421 LITTLE GIANT. (Scotch Marigold or Tagetes signata pumila.)** An improved strain with plants which do not split apart. Small single golden yellow flowers and finely cut foliage. 12"

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 65c; Oz. \$1.75; ¼ Lb. \$5.50.

### DWARF DOUBLE MARIGOLDS

**W3417 PYGMY PRIMROSE.** Here's another new very early flowering marigold with 1½" full double flowers of lemon yellow with a mahogany spot at the base of the petals. Very free flowering and one of the earliest to bloom. 12"

Lg. Pkt. 45c; ½ Oz. 90c; ¼ Oz. \$1.75; Oz. \$5.00; ¼ Lb. \$17.50.

**W3412 LEMON DROP.** A new dwarf double French with larger flowers (1½") than Yellow Pygmy which it will eventually replace. Particularly good as a spring plant item since it blooms early and the first blooms are fully double. 12"

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ¼ Oz. 85c; Oz. \$3.00; ¼ Lb. \$10.00.

**W3414 YELLOW PYGMY.** Small double yellow flowers on very compact dwarf plants. Excellent for early pot plants. 12"

**W3416 SPRY.** Very early flowering double golden yellow and red. Especially good for early pots. 15"

**W3418 BUTTERBALL.** Harmony type with both the crested center and guard petals a clear golden yellow very lightly tipped with red. 12"

**W3422 HARMONY.** Still one of the most popular. Golden center with red guard petals. 20"

**W3432 SUNKIST.** Masses of rich orange flowers an inch in diameter. Uniformly dwarf, compact. 12"

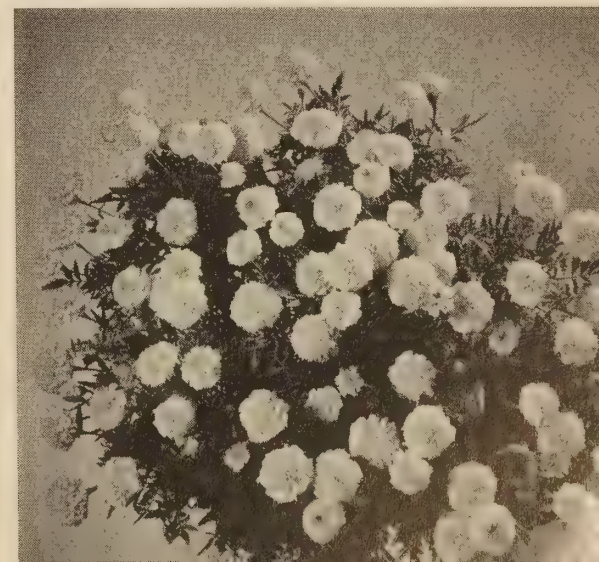
ANY ONE OF ABOVE FIVE VARIETIES: Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 50c; Oz. \$1.60; ¼ Lb. \$5.00.

**W3410 HARRIS' DWARF DOUBLE VARIETY MIXTURE.** Made up of equal parts of four fine dwarf double varieties: Spry, Butterball, Sunkist, and Lemon Drop. 12"

Lg. Pkt. 20c; ¼ Oz. 45c; Oz. \$1.50; ¼ Lb. \$4.50.

Marigolds continued on next page

PYGMY PRIMROSE—Very early and free flowering.



## FORGET-ME-NOTS (Myosotis)

**W3493 ALPESTRIS, ROYAL BLUE.** (30,000 seeds.) The standard biennial type so popular for spring plant sales with pansies and bellis. 1'

Lg. Pkt. 30c; ½ Oz. 45c; ¼ Oz. 80c; Oz. \$2.50.

**W3495 VICTORIA, MIXED COLORS.** The Victoria varieties are very compact and upright, admirably adapted for borders, baskets, combinations and bedding. 8"

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ½ Oz. 60c; ¼ Oz. \$1.00; Oz. \$3.50.

<b>W3496 Victoria White</b>	<b>W3498 Victoria Blue</b>
<b>W3497 Victoria Rose</b>	

ANY ONE OF ABOVE THREE COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 40c; ½ Oz. 65c; ¼ Oz. \$1.10; Oz. \$3.75.

## GAILLARDIA

**W2900 DOUBLE ANNUAL, MIXED COLORS.** (9,000 seeds.) Double flowers of orange, yellow, red, rose and many variegations of these colors. Long lasting and popular cut flower. 2'

Lg. Pkt. 20c; ¼ Oz. 40c; Oz. \$1.25.

## GOURDS

**W2985 SMALL SORTS MIXED.** (500 seeds.) A good mixture of the most easily grown and popular varieties. The fruits find a ready sale in the autumn. 12"

¼ Oz. 30c; Oz. 80c; ¼ Lb. \$2.50.

## GYPSOPHILA (Baby's Breath)

**W2992 COVENT GARDEN.** (35,000 seeds.) No other variety has the large flowers and good keeping qualities of this one. Make successive sowings several weeks apart for a continuous supply. 18"

Oz. 35c; ¼ Lb. \$1.00; Lb. \$2.75.

## HELICHRYSUM (Strawflowers)

**W3070 DOUBLE MIXED COLORS.** (45,000 seeds.) Easily grown from seed sown outdoors in May. The dried flowers have always been popular in the fall and, with the recent revival of interest in arrangements of dried material, the demand has greatly increased. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 40c; Oz. \$1.40.

## HELIOTROPE

**W3132 DWARF REGALE MIXED.** (53,000 seeds.) It is not necessary to grow Heliotrope from cuttings. Our selected strain of the Dwarf Regale produces compact plants uniformly 2' tall with large fragrant heads of rich purple.

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ¼ Oz. \$1.00; Oz. \$3.00.

## IMPATIENS (Sultana or Patience)

**W3180 DWARF HYBRIDS.** (70,000 seeds.) An improved old time favorite growing only 10" high with very large florets. Ideal for spring pot plants or for summer bedding in partial shade. The mixture contains pink, rose, salmon and scarlet.

Lg. Pkt. 75c; 1/32 Oz. \$1.75; 1/16 Oz. \$3.25.

## LOBELIA

**W3300 CRYSTAL PALACE COMPACTA.** (910,000 seeds.) A very dwarf, compact edging plant with rich, dark blue flowers and dark, often bronzy, foliage. 5"

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ½ Oz. 50c; ¼ Oz. 90c; Oz. \$3.25.

**W3301 CAMBRIDGE BLUE.** Light blue flowers above light green foliage. 5"

Lg. Pkt. 40c; ½ Oz. 55c; ¼ Oz. \$1.00.

**W3302 MRS. CLIBRAN (Bedding Queen).** Very dwarf with medium green foliage; large deep blue flowers with white eye. 5"

Lg. Pkt. 40c; ½ Oz. 55c; ¼ Oz. \$1.00.





**RUSTY RED MARIGOLD**—For performance and beauty just about the finest marigold ever developed.

### DWARF DOUBLE MARIGOLDS

**W3424 RUSTY RED.** This new variety has 2" double blooms of rich mahogany-red highlighted with a penciling of yellow on the margins of petals. Stems are long enough for cutting. Most effective when used in combination with bright yellows and orange. 18"

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 75c; Oz. \$2.00; ¼ Lb. \$6.00.

**W3415 COLOR MAGIC.** Full double 1½" flowers in rich shades of yellow, orange and red are irregularly striped and mottled. Plants make uniform compact growth and a fine display of color. 15"-18"

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ¼ Oz. 80c; Oz. \$2.50; ¼ Lb. \$8.00.

**W3401 CUPID ORANGE.** Compact plants, less than a foot high have rich green odorless foliage against which are nestled 2" to 2½" bright orange flowers of the incurved, chrysanthemum type. 10"

**W3402 CUPID YELLOW.** A yellow companion to Cupid Orange. Each year sees the popularity of this new Marigold increasing. Your plant customers will be asking for it. 10"

**EITHER ONE OF THE ABOVE CUPIDS:** Lg. Pkt. 45c; ½ Oz. 90c; ¼ Oz. \$1.75; Oz. \$5.00.

**W3403 CUPID MIXED.** This mixture contains gold, yellow, lemon yellow and orange which makes a very striking border. 10"

Lg. Pkt. 40c; ½ Oz. 80c; ¼ Oz. \$1.50; Oz. \$4.50.

### MORNING GLORY

**W3473 BLUE STAR.** (6 to 7 hundred seeds.) Very large blooms of sky blue color which is accentuated by five deeper blue mid-ribs which form a star. All-America winner in '48. Plants in 2¼'s will sell well. 12"

**W3475 HEAVENLY BLUE.** Grow some of these in our Bird Plant Bands. The plants are in good demand and bring a good price. We believe we have the finest strain available. 12"

**W3474 PEARLY GATES.** This pure white, large flowered variety makes vigorous growth and blooms early and profusely. A perfect companion for Heavenly Blue. 12"

**ANY ONE OF ABOVE THREE COLORS:** Lg. Pkt. 20c; ¼ Oz. 25c; Oz. 75c; ¼ Lb. \$2.50.

### NASTURTIUM

**W3610 GLEAM HYBRIDS MIXED COLORS.** The popular cut-flower variety with large double fragrant blooms. The mixture contains yellow, orange, scarlet and salmon. 15"

Oz. 50c; ¼ Lb. \$1.50; Lb. \$4.75.

**W3625 DWARF DOUBLE GEM MIXED COLORS.** The Gems make dwarf compact growth so are low mounds of bright color. Colors include scarlet, orange, rose and mahogany. 12"

Oz. 50c; ¼ Lb. \$1.50; Lb. \$4.75.

### NICOTIANA (Flowering Tobacco)

**W3675 SENSATION DAYLIGHT MIXED.** (239,000 seeds.) Two outstanding qualities recommend this new Nicotiana: the plants grow only 1½ to 2 ft. high and the blooms remain open in the bright sunlight. The colors are unusually attractive and include bright scarlet, crimson, rose, mahogany, lavender, yellow, coral and white. 20"

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 60c; Oz. \$2.00.

**W3671 AFFINIS WHITE.** The old fragrant white "tobacco plant" that is always in demand. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 20c; ¼ Oz. 30c; Oz. \$1.00.

**W3672 CRIMSON BEDDER.** Gorgeous brilliant red blooms on stocky dark green plants. 2'

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 60c; Oz. \$2.00.

## PANSIES

21,000 seeds to the ounce.

Ask for our leaflet on Pansy growing.

**W3705 SWISS GIANTS. Magnificent Mixture.** In tests every year in our gardens this strain of mammoth-flowered pansies has proved to be the best. The color range includes the dark browns and reds as well as rose, cream, yellow, gold, blue, violet, purple and bicolors. The choice of pansy enthusiasts. 8"

Lg. Pkt. 45c; ½ Oz. \$1.60; ¼ Oz. \$2.75; Oz. \$9.50; ¼ Lb. \$33.00; Lb. \$115.00.

**W3720 JUMBO, MIXED COLORS.** These are pansies with blooms often 5" across and of fine form and substance. The introducer finds them earlier than other pansies. We found them resistant to summer heat in our trials. The mixture contains many new and different colors: pastel orchid, apricots, yellows, blues, brass and copper hues, purples and reds, and many multi-color combinations and selfs. 8"

Lg. Pkt. 45c; ½ Oz. \$1.55; ¼ Oz. \$2.65; Oz. \$9.00; ¼ Lb. \$32.00; Lb. \$110.00.

### W3704 DWARF SWISS GIANTS, MIXED COLORS.

A dwarf strain of Swiss Giants having the immense size and all the colors of the finest Swiss Giants. The dwarf habit of growth makes them especially desirable for spring plant sales. 7"

Lg. Pkt. 45c; ½ Oz. \$1.50; ¼ Oz. \$2.60; Oz. \$8.00; ¼ Lb. \$27.00; Lb. \$90.00.

**W3703 MAPLELEAF GIANTS, MIXED COLORS.** These are among the largest flowered of any pansies. Stems are long, the plants large, the colors rich and varied. 10"

Lg. Pkt. 50c; ½ Oz. \$1.55; ¼ Oz. \$2.65; Oz. \$9.00.

**W3700 EARLY MARKET, MIXED COLORS.** An excellent low priced mixture. The low compact plants start blooming very early producing an abundance of flowers, held well above the foliage, in a pleasing range of bright colors. 8"

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ½ Oz. \$1.25; ¼ Oz. \$2.00; Oz. \$6.00; ¼ Lb. \$22.00.

### GIANT PANSIES SEPARATE COLORS

**W3721 JUMBO, MOON MOTH.** An immense white with dark blue penciling radiating from the center and often a soft yellow blotch on the lower petal.

**W3722 JUMBO, PAY DIRT.** The largest golden yellow available, the blooms having dark rays or tiny dark faces.

**W3723 JUMBO, BEACONSFIELD.** Upper petals orchid-lavender, lower deep violet.

**ANY ONE OF ABOVE THREE COLORS:** Lg. Pkt. 50c; ½ Oz. \$1.85; ¼ Oz. \$2.90; Oz. \$10.00.

**W3735 WHITE SWISS.** Large creamy white. Compact plants bloom continuously through the summer. 8"

**W3736 SWISS ROSE SHADES.** Fills a long felt need for the "pink" pansies your customers always ask for.

**W3737 CORONATION GOLD.** Rich golden yellow so popular for bedding and edging.

**W3738 SWISS BLUE.** Large dark blue that combines beautifully with the other colors.

**W3739 SWISS RED.** Rich mahogany red with just enough variation to give them "class."

**ANY ONE OF THE ABOVE FIVE COLORS:** Lg. Pkt. 45c; ½ Oz. \$1.60; ¼ Oz. \$2.75; Oz. \$9.00.

### VIOLAS

(25,000 seeds.) Because they produce such an abundance of bloom over so long a season, Violas are among the most popular bedding plants. The following are the best colors and largest flowered varieties available. 6"

**W3761 White Perfection**

**W3762 Chantreyland.** Apricot

**W3763 Arkwright Ruby.** Maroon with dark center

**W3765 Admiration.** Dark blue

**W3766 Yellow Gem.** Pure yellow

**ANY ONE OF THE ABOVE FIVE COLORS:** Lg. Pkt. 40c; ½ Oz. 95c; ¼ Oz. \$1.75; Oz. \$5.50.

**W3760 MIXED COLORS.** Lg. Pkt. 30c; ½ Oz. \$90c; ¼ Oz. \$1.50; Oz. \$4.75.

### NIEREMBERGIA (Cupflower)

**W3664 PURPLE ROBE.** (5000 seeds in 1/32 ounce.) The new deep lavender cupflower so popular for edgings. Uniformly dwarf and compact. Seedlings are more vigorous than plants from cuttings. 6"

Lg. Pkt. 40c; 1/32 Oz. \$1.65; 1/16 Oz. \$3.00.



**HARRIS' SWISS GIANT PANSIES**—Again the best of any in our Trial Grounds.

## PHLOX

17,000 seeds to the ounce.

### DWARF—8"-10"

**W3865 GLOBE MIXED COLORS.** An All-America Winner in 1952, Globe is a new and different dwarf phlox. The plants branch freely from the base, resulting in a compact mound or globe shape, 6" to 8" high and 8" to 10" across. There are not as many colors as in Beauty Phlox, but the white, pinks, reds and violet, some self color, some with darker eye, blend into a very pleasing pattern. Particularly valuable because the vigorous seedlings transplant so readily. 8"

Lg. Pkt. 40c; ½ Oz. \$1.25; ¼ Oz. \$2.10; Oz. \$6.00; ¼ Lb. \$20.00.

**W3855 DWARF BEAUTY, MIXED COLORS.** A new very early and profuse blooming variety with large individual florets and full flower heads making it most desirable for pot plants. Transplants more readily than older varieties so admirably adapted for spring plant sales. Contains a wide range of colors: white, pale pink, rose, salmon, scarlet, bright blue, lavender, purple, and buff. 10"

Lg. Pkt. 40c; ½ Oz. 65c; ¼ Oz. \$1.10; Oz. \$3.50; ¼ Lb. \$12.00.

**W3857 Dwarf Beauty, Salmon**

**W3858 Dwarf Beauty, Blue**

**EITHER OF ABOVE TWO COLORS:** Lg. Pkt. 40c; ½ Oz. 75c; ¼ Oz. \$1.25; Oz. \$4.00.

**W3850 DWARF MIXED COLORS.** Just as showy as the grandiflora. Our mixture contains a wide range of very bright showy colors that blend beautifully. 10"

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ½ Oz. 60c; ¼ Oz. \$1.00; Oz. \$3.00; ¼ Lb. \$9.50.

### GRANDIFLORA—15"-18"

**W3860 MIXED COLORS.** Increasing in popularity each year so there is a good demand for plants of this showy annual. Avoid transplanting by sowing seed directly into pots or plant bands. Our mixture contains white, rose, scarlet, crimson, lavender and soft buff; many with white or dark centers. 15"

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 60c; Oz. \$2.00.

### PORTULACA

**W3875 EXTRA CHOICE DOUBLE MIXED.** (300,000 seeds.) Larger and more double flowers, a wider range of colors and increased vigor in plant growth mark this as a real improvement in double portulacas. Colors in the mixture include white, shell pink, rose, salmon, scarlet, bronze and yellow.

Lg. Pkt. 40c; ½ Oz. 75c; ¼ Oz. \$1.25; Oz. \$3.75; ¼ Lb. \$12.50.

**DWARF BEAUTY PHLOX**—Nice spring plant item because the seedlings transplant easily.





## SALPIGLOSSIS

**W4500 LARGE FLOWERED MIXED.** (105,000 seeds.) For cut flowers grown indoors or out there is no flower of richer color. 2½"

Lg. Pkt. 20c; ¼ Oz. 45c; Oz. \$1.50.

## SCABIOSA

**W4665 IMPERIAL GIANTS MIXED.** (4000 seeds.) Compared with older varieties, plants of the Imperial Giants are much sturdier, stand up well in hot weather, and bloom until freezing weather. The flowers are larger and do not shatter when cut; colors are richer and more varied and stems are longer. Our mixture contains white, pink, salmon, scarlet, deep red, lavender and blue. 2½"

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ¼ Oz. 45c; Oz. \$1.50; ¼ Lb. \$4.75.

## SCHIZANTHUS

**W4635 DR. BADGER'S IMPROVED HYBRIDS.** (43,000 seeds.) Sown in late winter these make beautiful specimens in 5 in. pots for Mother's Day. Rightly called "Poor Man's Orchid" since they resemble spray orchids. Of medium height, this is the finest variety for pots, bouquets and corsages. 18"

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ½ Oz. 65c; ¼ Oz. \$1.25; Oz. \$4.00.

## SALVIA

7,500 seeds to the ounce.

**W4600 HARRIS' BONFIRE.** With florists, the name of Harris has become synonymous with salvia of superior quality and high germination. Harris' Bonfire, after years of selection and testing, has resulted in large, long spikes with the florets placed close together and the growth is as uniform as though it had been sheared. The color is a brighter shade than any other variety, and the germination higher. If you want the best, plant Harris' Bonfire. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ½ Oz. 75c; ¼ Oz. \$1.35; Oz. \$4.75; ¼ Lb. \$17.00; Lb. \$50.00.

**4601—SALVIA BONFIRE, Early Strain.** Because our own strain of Bonfire will be in short supply again this year we are offering this excellent uniform strain grown in Europe. It flowers about two weeks ahead of our special strain but the flower bracts are not as heavy nor as fully set. 28"

Lg. Pkt. 25c; ½ Oz. 50c; ¼ Oz. 90c; Oz. \$3.00; ¼ Lb. \$10.00; Lb. \$35.00.

**W4602 FIREWORKS.** A new salvia which is a reselected strain of St. John's Fire being slightly earlier and with fuller, heavier flower spikes which give the effect of more bloom. Foliage is slightly darker than St. John's Fire. Since all the plants are uniformly early flowering, Fireworks is most desirable for plant sales. 1'

Lg. Pkt. 75c; ½ Oz. \$1.75; ¼ Oz. \$3.00; Oz. \$10.00; ¼ Lb. \$35.00.

**4607 EXTRA DWARF SCARLET PYGMY (Fireball or Scarlet Piccolo).** A new, very compact and well branched variety blooming as early as St. John's Fire but 2" to 4" shorter. Especially good for early pots and flats. 8"-10"

Lg. Pkt. \$1.00; ½ Oz. \$2.50; ¼ Oz. \$4.00; Oz. \$14.00.

**W4605 DWARF HARBINGER. (Firebrand)** This dwarf and very dependable early flowering salvia is much in demand for spring pot and summer bedding plants. Leaves are a deep bluish green. 2'

Lg. Pkt. 35c; ½ Oz. \$1.10; ¼ Oz. \$1.85; Oz. \$5.75.

**W4604 ST. JOHN'S FIRE.** This variety has all the most desirable qualities of a dwarf bedding plant. In full bloom in August, remaining in perfect condition until frost. Very uniform, compact and upright. 1'

Lg. Pkt. 75c; ½ Oz. \$1.50; ¼ Oz. \$2.75; Oz. \$8.50; ¼ Lb. \$30.00.

**W4603 FARINACEA, BLUE BEDDER.** Ideal for cutting, the 3' to 3½' plants produce an abundance of graceful sprays of soft blue. As home gardeners come to know this blue flower, the demand for plants has increased at our Garden Store.

Lg. Pkt. 40c; ½ Oz. 85c; ¼ Oz. \$1.50; Oz. \$4.50.

## SNOW-ON-THE-MOUNTAIN

**W5192 EUPHORBIA VARIEGATA.** (2500 seeds.) The green and white foliage of this old time favorite provides a perfect foil for bright flowers such as Salvia. 2½"

¼ Oz. 45c; Oz. \$1.25.

## SWEET PEAS

340 seeds to the ounce.

### NEW MULTIFLORA SWEET PEAS

**W7800 MIXED COLORS.** Destined to replace the standard strains of sweet peas are these new Multifloras which bloom between the Cuthbertson and Early Flowering. They make unusually vigorous plant growth with stiff flower stems 14" to 16" long. Starting with four or five flowers to a stem, those which follow have six or even more flowers on them. Fragrance has not been lost, but rather increased, in this new strain. Our mixture contains all the colors found in sweet peas from white, through shades of pink and salmon, cerise, lavender and purple.

½ Oz. 85c; Oz. \$1.50; ¼ Lb. \$5.00.

### EARLY FLOWERING SWEET PEAS

**W7050 MIXED COLORS.** For areas where sweet peas are difficult to grow, these are early enough to flower outdoors before the summer heat. Our mixture contains white, shades of pink, orange, cerise, scarlet, lavender and deep blue.

Oz. 60c; ¼ Lb. \$1.80; Lb. \$6.00.

### SPENCER OR SUMMER FLOWERING

The lovely large wavy or "orchid flowered" sweet peas for outdoor summer blooming.

**W7501 Gigantic.** Pure White

**W7502 Pinkie.** Rose Pink

**W7503 Ecstasy.** Blush Pink

**W7504 Master Cream.**

**W7505 Salmon Gigantic**

**W7506 Red Rover.** Crimson

**W7507 Welcome.** Scarlet

**W7508 Pirate Gold.** Orange

**W7510 King Lavender.**

**W7511 Flagship.** Navy Blue

ANY ONE OF ABOVE COLORS: Oz. 45c; ¼ Lb. \$1.35; Lb. \$4.00.

**W7675 SPECIAL VARIETY MIXTURE.** A well balanced blending of the 10 separate varieties described above.

Oz. 40c; ¼ Lb. \$1.25; Lb. \$3.75.

**W7550 SUPERB MIXTURE.** A blending of a wide selection of colors of the Spencer Varieties.

Oz. 35c; ¼ Lb. \$1.05; Lb. \$3.25.

### SPRING FLOWERING (Cuthbertson)

**W7110 MIXED COLORS.** In areas where sweet peas are readily grown this new strain produces an abundance of large fragrant blossoms on extra long stems. For an indoor crop they will bloom late into the spring. Our mixture is made from the following colors: white, cream, pink, lavender, blue, scarlet and crimson.

Oz. 40c; ¼ Lb. \$1.35; Lb. \$4.50.

## SNAPDRAGONS

200,000 seeds to the ounce.

### HARRIS' COLOSSALS

Each year we expect that a new snapdragon will come along that will out-perform our Colossals here in the Northeast. But again this hot dry summer they produced better bloom earlier and more continuously in our Trial Grounds than any others available to date. The husky plants send up many long stemmed flower spikes, foliage is a glossy deep green, colors are clear and attractive, florets are large and beautifully formed. Altho they are not the so-called Rust Resistant type, we have never had rust on any of our planting. 2½'

**W5031 White**

**W5032 Pink Shades**

**W5033 Orchid**

**W5034 Yellow**

**W5035 Crimson**

**W5036 Orange Shades**

ANY ONE OF ABOVE COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 40c; ½ Oz. 90c; ¼ Oz. \$1.75; Oz. \$5.00.

**W5030 MIXED COLORS.** Lg. Pkt. 35c; ½ Oz. 80c; ¼ Oz. \$1.50; Oz. \$4.50; ¼ Lb. \$15.00.

### TALL GIANT-FLOWERED

**W5039 VELVET GIANT.** This All-America winner in 1947 stands out in any planting because of its tall, sturdy spikes and rich green foliage. The large, well formed florets of vivid crimson with a gold undertone are closely spaced on tall stems. 2½' (Not "rust resistant.")

Lg. Pkt. 40c; ½ Oz. 90c; ¼ Oz. \$1.75; Oz. \$5.00.

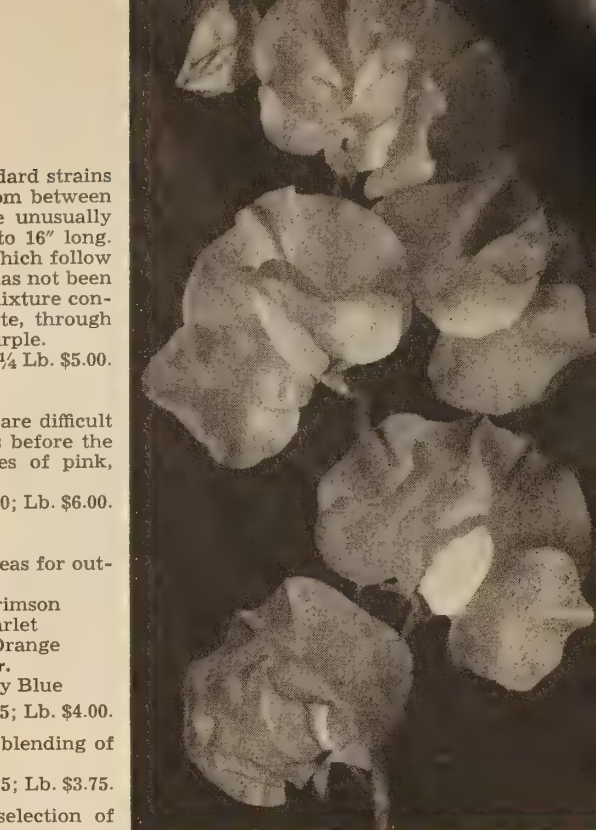
**W5040 TETRAPLOID MIXED COLORS.** Described by the introducer as stronger and huskier than varieties with the normal number of chromosomes. Flowers large and often ruffled; deep green foliage; wide range of colors. 2' (Not "rust-resistant")

Lg. Pkt. 40c; ½ Oz. \$1.25; ¼ Oz. \$2.25; Oz. \$6.00; ¼ Lb. \$21.00.

### HALF-DWARF SNAPDRAGONS

**W5115 NEW COLOR MIXTURE.** Growing 15 to 18 inches tall, these are admirably suited to border and mass plantings. Made up of bright colors, they are showy from early summer until late fall. If cut back and mulched over winter, they can often be carried over for spring bloom. 15" (Not "rust resistant.")

Lg. Pkt. 30c; ½ Oz. 50c; ¼ Oz. 90c; Oz. \$2.75.



MULTIFLORAS—Getting more popular each year.

### CALIFORNIA GIANT SNAPDRAGONS

For areas where rust is a serious problem, these California grown, rust resistant "snaps" are advisable. Stems are 2 to 2½ feet long, florets are good size and the plants produce abundant bloom. Seed should be sown in early February for spring plant sales. (Rust Resistant)

**W5051 Alaska, White**

**W5053 Rosalie, Salmon**

**W5055 Crimson**

**W5056 Copper Queen**

**W5057 Yellow Giant**

**W5058 Pink Sensation**

ANY ONE OF ABOVE SIX COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 35c; ½ Oz. 80c; ¼ Oz. \$1.50; Oz. \$4.50.

**W5050 VARIETY MIXTURE.**

Lg. Pkt. 30c; ½ Oz. 75c; ¼ Oz. \$1.25; Oz. \$4.00.

### STATICE

(245 seed clusters.) The most popular Everlasting for winter bouquets as well as a very useful summer cut flower. Seed should be sown early under glass. Likes a warm light soil. 2½'

**W6171 Sinuata White**

**W6175 Sinuata Kampf's Blue**

**W6172 Sinuata Superb Rose** **W6174 Bonduelli Yellow**

ANY ONE OF ABOVE FOUR COLORS: ¼ Oz. 30c;

Oz. 85c; ¼ Lb. \$2.75.

**W6170 SINUATA MIXED COLORS.**

¼ Oz. 25c; Oz. 75c; ¼ Lb. \$2.50.

### SUNFLOWER

**W6195 SUNGOLD.** (650 seeds.) A sunflower that grows only 4½ to 5 ft. high, but produces large, 100% double flowers in great profusion. Attracts attention wherever it is grown. 5'

¼ Oz. 30c; Oz. 85c.

**SALVIA FIRE WORKS—Can't be beat for early plant sales.**







**PARK TEN WEEKS STOCKS**—Can be grown 100% double by transplanting only the light green seedlings.

## STOCKS

**W6030 PARK, TEN WEEKS MIXED COLORS.** These are the same type as the regular Ten Weeks but can be grown 100% double by transplanting only the light green seedlings and discarding the dark ones which produce single flowers. This difference in leaf color is more pronounced under cool growing conditions. Our mixture contains white, lavender, purple, flesh pink, rose and blood-red. 15" to 18"  
Lg. Pkt. 45c; 1/8 Oz. \$1.00; 1/4 Oz. \$1.75; Oz. \$6.00.

## HARRIS' TEN WEEKS STOCKS

(18,000 seeds.) Usually thought of as bedding plants, but grown also as pot plants for spring. The soft colors, spicy fragrance and neat compact growth adapt them admirably to this use. Blooms 100% from seed sown outdoors in May. 15"

**W6021 White** **W6025 Dark Blue**  
**W6022 Flesh Pink** **W6026 Canary Yellow**  
**W6023 Blood Red** **W6027 Rose**  
**W6024 Azure Blue**

**ANY ONE OF ABOVE COLORS:** Lg. Pkt. 30c; 1/4 Oz. 75c; Oz. \$2.50.

**W6020 VARIETY MIXTURE.** Lg. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 Oz. 70c; Oz. \$2.25; 1/4 Lb. \$7.50.

## THUNBERGIA (Clock Vine)

**W7940 ALATA.** (1,200 seeds.) This little vine having orange, yellow and creamy white flowers, some with black centers, has always been popular for urns and window boxes. 18"  
1/8 Oz. 35c; 1/4 Oz. 65c; Oz. \$2.00.

## TITHONIA

**W7920 TORCH.** (3000 seeds.) Long-stemmed brilliant orange-scarlet single blooms are produced in late August against large, gray-green velvety leaves. Plants grow 3 1/2' to 4' tall and can be used as an attractive temporary hedge.

Lg. Pkt. 40c; 1/8 Oz. \$1.00; 1/4 Oz. \$1.50; Oz. \$4.50.

## TORENIA (Wishbone Flower)

**W7955 FOURNIERI COMPACTA.** (375,000 seeds.) We have an even, compact strain of this charming bedding and edging plant. Stands up better than pansies in hot weather. The inch long flowers have a deep lavender standard and rich purple lip with a bright yellow blotch. 10"  
1/2 Oz. 40c; 1/4 Oz. 70c; 1/8 Oz. \$1.25.

## VINCA ROSEA (Periwinkle)

**W8050 MIXED COLORS.** (21,000 seeds.) A "fool-proof" annual that thrives in sun or shade, wet or dry weather. Grow some plants for your "good gardener" trade, but caution against planting it out until cold nights are past. We saw it used effectively in window boxes this summer. Our mixture is made from separate colors—white, white with pink center, rose, and pink with darker center. 18"

Lg. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 Oz. 70c; Oz. \$2.25.

## VERBENAS

### MAMMOTH FLOWERING

(12,000 seeds.) Home gardeners will buy all the plants of verbenas you can grow. Since seed is slow to germinate, sow it the last of February or early March in 65°-70° soil. 10"

**W8003 Salmon Pink** **W8007 Vivid. Scarlet**  
**W8005 Royale. Purple** **W8008 Snowstorm**  
**W8006 Royal Blue**

**ANY ONE OF ABOVE COLORS:** Lg. Pkt. 35c; 1/8 Oz. 55c; 1/4 Oz. 95c; Oz. \$3.15.

**W8015 VARIETY MIXTURE.** Lg. Pkt. 25c; 1/8 Oz. 50c; 1/4 Oz. 90c; Oz. \$2.85; 1/4 Lb. \$8.50.

**W8000 HYBRIDA GRANDIFLORA COMPACTA MIXED COLORS.** About two weeks earlier than the Mammoth Flowering and with more compact manner of growth, is this new strain. Particularly well adapted for pots, combinations, window boxes and narrow borders. The mixture contains a wide range of beautiful colors. 10"

Lg. Pkt. 40c; 1/8 Oz. 85c; 1/4 Oz. \$1.60; Oz. \$4.75; 1/4 Lb. \$16.50.

## ZINNIAS

Giant Zinnias 3000 seeds to the ounce.

### GIANT CACTUS FLOWERED

These new giant zinnias with blooms often 6" across and 2"-3" deep have attractively curled and twisted petals, somewhat similar to the old Fantasy Zinnias. The plants are tall and vigorous and do best if given plenty of space. A good outdoor item for florists; as useful as large flowering dahlias but easier to handle and much earlier. Plants sell very well at our Garden Store. 2 1/2'

**W8172 ICE CREAM.** A new and very desirable color in the Cactus Flowered group. Soft, creamy yellow 4" to 4 1/2" blooms which accentuate the other zinnia colors and are useful as a filler with other garden flowers. 2 1/2'

**W8176 BLAZE.** This All-America Winner for '54 is described by the introducer as "opening Mandarin-red which softens to orange-scarlet." With us it was a deep, warm orange which was a most showy but pleasing color. 2 1/2'

**EITHER OF THE ABOVE COLORS:** Lg. Pkt. 35c; 1/8 Oz. 55c; 1/4 Oz. \$1.00; Oz. \$3.00; 1/4 Lb. \$10.00.

**W8171 Eskimo.** Large white

**W8173 Sunny Boy.** Clear canary yellow

**W8174 Riverside Beauty.** Warm luminous azalea-pink

**W8175 Floradale Scarlet.** Clear scarlet-red

**ANY ONE OF ABOVE FOUR COLORS:** Lg. Pkt. 30c; 1/4 Oz. 65c; Oz. \$2.00.

**W8180 SUPER CACTUS FLOWERED, MIXED COLORS.** This new mixture was definitely superior to the original Cactus Flowered Mixture in our Trial Grounds this summer. Flowers are uniformly larger (5" or more) more double and produced more abundantly. Colors are pink, salmon, violet, orange, yellow, white, reds; in fact, a number of colors not found in the original mixture. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 30c; 1/8 Oz. 45c; 1/4 Oz. 75c; Oz. \$2.50; 1/4 Lb. \$8.50; Lb. \$30.00.

**W8170 CACTUS FLOWERED, MIXED COLORS.** This is a most attractive mixture of colors which are, for the most part, pastel shades of orange, yellow, pink, lavender, rose with a little scarlet. Long stemmed blooms are as large or larger than the named varieties, the plants equally vigorous. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 30c; 1/4 Oz. 60c; Oz. \$1.75; 1/4 Lb. \$5.75.

### POMPON ZINNIAS (Lilliput)

(4600 seeds.) The flowers are small, full double and borne in profusion eight weeks from sowing. One of the most popular because it is so easily grown. 2 1/2'

**W8231 White Gem** **W8234 Scarlet Gem**  
**W8232 Salmon Gem** **W8236 Orange Gem**  
**W8233 Yellow Gem**

**ANY ONE OF ABOVE COLORS:** Lg. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 Oz. 50c; Oz. \$1.40.

**W8230 VARIETY MIXTURE.**

Lg. Pkt. 20c; 1/4 Oz. 45c; Oz. \$1.25; 1/4 Lb. \$3.85; Lb. \$11.50.

## GIANT-FLOWERED ZINNIAS

Each year we make large plantings, in our Trial Grounds, of the many Giant and Dahlia Flowered Zinnias available today. We believe that we are in a position, then, to say that the following varieties are the finest obtainable in the various colors. 3'

**W8131 Purity.** White

**W8137 Miss Willmott.** Soft Pink

**W8146 Violet Queen.** Dark Purple

**W8147 Cherry Queen.** Rose Scarlet

**W8149 Illumination.** Bright Pink

**W8151 Orange King.** Orange

**W8152 Oriole.** Orange and Gold

**W8153 Exquisite.** Bright Rose, deeper center

**W8154 Canary Bird.** Yellow

**W8155 Crimson Monarch**

**W8156 Golden Dawn.** Deep Yellow

**W8157 Will Rogers.** Scarlet

**ANY ONE OF THE ABOVE COLORS:** Lg. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 Oz. 55c; Oz. \$1.50; 1/4 Lb. \$4.50.

**W8120 MAGNIFICENT VARIETY MIXTURE.** We make this mixture ourselves using seed of all of the varieties described above.

Lg. Pkt. 20c; 1/4 Oz. 50c; Oz. \$1.35; 1/4 Lb. \$4.00; Lb. \$12.00.

**W8150 GOLD MEDAL MIXTURE.** A good quality lower priced mixture containing a wide range of colors and shades grown as a mixture. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 Oz. 40c; Oz. \$1.15; 1/4 Lb. \$3.50; Lb. \$10.50.

**W8160 GIANT TWO TONE LIGHT COLOR MIXTURE.** Enormous flowers in pastel shades of rose, yellows, buff, salmons, etc. The petals shade to yellow and gold at the base giving the flowers a two tone effect. One of the most popular varieties in the Giant Flowering class especially with people who do not like the "strong" zinnia colors. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 Oz. 55c; Oz. \$1.50; 1/4 Lb. \$4.50.

### CUT-&COME-AGAIN (Pumila)

(4200 seeds.) The soft colors and medium size of the Pumilas make them most adaptable for florists' use and for home flower arrangements. Many home gardeners prefer them to Pompons and Giants which accounts for the demand for well grown plants. Flowers average 2" in diameter as compared with the 1 to 1 1/4" of the Pompons. 2'

**W8262 SALMON ROSE.** The best and most popular color in this type.

**W8260 SUNSHINE TINTS.** A mixture of many new and unusual pastel shades not yet available in separate colors. Be sure to include them in your zinnia plantings.

**EITHER OF ABOVE TWO COLORS:** Lg. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 Oz. 55c; Oz. \$1.50; 1/4 Lb. \$4.50; Lb. \$13.50.

**W8266 PEPPERMINT STICK.** While some of the blooms are solid colors, 60 to 70% are striped. Colors are white, yellow, orange, pink, red and purple. The darker are striped and mottled with white; the lighter with darker colors. Same size and habit of growth as the other Pumilas. 2'

Lg. Pkt. 30c; 1/4 Oz. 70c; Oz. \$2.00; 1/4 Lb. \$6.00.

## CUPID ZINNIAS

**W8220 VARIETY MIXTURE.** A good bedding type more dwarf in habit than the Pompons bearing a profusion of small double flowers in a wide range of colors. 2'

Lg. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 Oz. 55c; Oz. \$1.50.

## MEXICAN ZINNIAS

**W8275 PERSIAN CARPET.** (22,000 seeds.) All-America Winner for 1952 producing a continuous display of small double blooms in a range of solid and variegated colors; cream, yellow, orange, copper, bronze, mahogany and red. 18"

Lg. Pkt. 35c; 1/8 Oz. 55c; 1/4 Oz. \$1.00; Oz. \$3.00.

## ZINNIA GRACILLIMA

**W8225 RED RIDING HOOD.** Bright scarlet bedding plant 2' tall, producing masses of small, double blooms all summer.

Lg. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 Oz. 55c; Oz. \$1.50.

## FANTASY ZINNIAS

**W8285 MIXED COLORS.** (4600 seeds.) While the new Giant Cactus Flowered are much more spectacular, Fantasy Zinnias continue to be very popular. Their smaller size and informal petal arrangement adapt them to a variety of uses. Our mixture contains unusually attractive colors.

Lg. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 Oz. 55c; Oz. \$1.50.



# HARRIS' HARDY PERENNIAL SEED

## AQUILEGIA (Columbine)

**W2070 McKANA GIANTS, MIXED COLORS.** (17,000 seeds.) (An All-America Winner for 1955.) Flowers are 3 to 4½ inches across, widely flared and with 3" spurs. Many are two-tone combinations of cream and rose, violet and white, pale yellow and red as well as solid yellows, lavender and white. Plants are more vigorous than older varieties and the stems heavier. 2½'

Lg. Pkt. 60c; 1/16 Oz. \$1.25; 1/8 Oz. \$2.00; 1/4 Oz. \$3.50; Oz. \$12.00.

**W2074 HARRIS' EXHIBITION HYBRIDS.** Vigorous plants producing large, long-spurred flowers in a wide range of pastel and deeper color tones. Our breeding and selection have produced a strain that is outstanding. 2½'

Lg. Pkt. 40c; 1/8 Oz. 70c; 1/4 Oz. \$1.20; Oz. \$4.00.

**W2075 LONG SPURRED BLUE SHADES.** A mixture of soft blues and lavenders. 2½'

Lg. Pkt. 50c; 1/8 Oz. \$1.25; 1/4 Oz. \$2.25.

## HARDY CARNATION

(14,000 seeds.) The new Grenadin Carnations are a great improvement over the older strains because of their high percentage of double blooms, their large size and free flowering habit. They are also very fragrant. 18"

**W2301 Grenadin Compact White**

**W2302 Grenadin Rose Queen**

**W2303 Grenadin Yellow**

**W2304 Grenadin Compact Scarlet**

**W2305 Grenadin King of Blacks**

ANY ONE OF ABOVE COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 45c; 1/8 Oz. \$1.00; 1/4 Oz. \$1.75; Oz. \$5.50.

**W2300 GRENADIN MIXED COLORS.** A well balanced mixture made from the above 5 colors.

Lg. Pkt. 40c; 1/8 Oz. 85c; 1/4 Oz. \$1.65; Oz. \$5.00; 1/4 Lb. \$16.00.

## W2310 DWARF GRENADIN MIXED COLORS.

Many growers prefer the dwarf form of Grenadin for sale in quart baskets. This strain, sometimes called Hardy Vienna, is 3" to 5" shorter and flowers about two weeks earlier than the regular Grenadin. 15"

Lg. Pkt. 40c; 1/8 Oz. 85c; 1/4 Oz. \$1.65; Oz. \$5.00; 1/4 Lb. \$16.00.

## CAMPANULA (Canterbury Bells)

(130,000 seeds.) One of the best loved and most widely planted flowers. That it is a biennial seems to make no difference. Experienced gardeners want seedlings early in the fall; the less experienced, larger plants in the spring. The Cup and Saucer are more popular than the Doubles. 2½'

**W2231 Cup and Saucer White**

**W2232 Cup and Saucer Rose**

**W2233 Cup and Saucer Deep Blue**

**W2234 Cup and Saucer Light Blue**

ANY ONE OF ABOVE COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 30c; 1/4 Oz. 80c; Oz. \$2.50.

## W2230 CUP AND SAUCER MIXED COLORS.

Lg. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 Oz. 75c; Oz. \$2.25.

**W2240 DOUBLE MIXED COLORS.** Contains the same soft colors as in the Cup and Saucer.

Lg. Pkt. 20c; 1/4 Oz. 55c; Oz. \$1.75.

**W2249 ALL VARIETIES MIXED COLORS.** A mixture of Cup and Saucer, Double and Single in all the colors available in Canterbury Bells.

Lg. Pkt. 20c; 1/4 Oz. 55c; Oz. \$1.75.

## FOXGLOVE (Digitalis)

### W2725 EXCELSIOR STRAIN, MIXED COLORS.

(272,000 seeds.) Here is a distinct break in this old fashioned flower. The florets are carried all around the stem, either horizontal or nearly erect, revealing the full effects of the markings and contrasting blotches of deeper color inside the tubes. Colors range from white, through cream, primrose, delicate pinks to deep rose and deep lavender. 5'-6'

Lg. Pkt. 40c; 1/8 Oz. 75c; 1/4 Oz. \$1.25; Oz. \$4.00.

**W2720 PRINCESS PASTEL SHADES.** Another biennial that is very popular. The mixture of this new strain is in shades of pink, apricot, buff, rose and heliotrope. 4'

Lg. Pkt. 35c; 1/4 Oz. \$1.00; Oz. \$3.00.

## DELPHINIUM

(13,000 seeds.) The new **PACIFIC GIANTS** are a "must" for anyone growing perennial plants. Our plantings for seed crops have been most impressive, blooming continuously from late June until September. Large vigorous plants; tall sturdy spikes; florets very large and double. 5'

**W2669 ASTOLAT.** Blush pink, rosy pink to raspberry-rose with dark bee. The first true pink Delphinium available from seed. (Originator's seed only)

Lg. Pkt. (400 seeds) \$2.00; 1/8 Oz. \$4.50; 1/4 Oz. \$8.00; Oz. \$24.00.

**W2642 GALAHAD.** Pure White

**W2662 GUINEVERE.** Light pinkish lavender

**W2663 LANCELOT.** Clear soft lilac

**W2664 BLUEBIRD.** Bright, medium-blue

**W2667 SUMMER SKIES.** Clear light blue

**W2668 KING ARTHUR.** Dark violet

ANY ONE OF ABOVE 6 COLORS: Lg. Pkt. 85c; 1/8 Oz. \$2.00; 1/4 Oz. \$3.50; Oz. \$12.00.

**W2665 PACIFIC GIANTS, MIXED COLORS.** Contains all the colors in the Pacific Giants except Astolat. Lg. Pkt. 75c; 1/8 Oz. \$1.85; 1/4 Oz. \$3.25; Oz. \$11.00.

**W2641 HARRIS' MONARCH STRAIN.** Our own selection of outstanding material from the best strains on the market. Grown under northern conditions and requires no coddling. 5'

Lg. Pkt. 40c; 1/8 Oz. 75c; 1/4 Oz. \$1.25; Oz. \$4.00.

**W2645 BELLADONNA.** The standard light blue for florists. 4'

Lg. Pkt. 20c; 1/4 Oz. 60c; Oz. \$2.00.

## GAILLARDIA (Blanket Flower)

**W2910 DAZZLER.** (10,000 seeds.) Easy to grow, adaptable to almost any garden conditions, always popular so plants are easy to sell and as cut flowers they are in great demand. They bloom most of the summer if kept cut back. 2½'

Lg. Pkt. 20c; 1/4 Oz. 50c; Oz. \$1.75.

## LUPINS

**W3335 NEW RUSSELL, HARRIS' SUPREME MIXTURE.** (1400 seeds.) The long, closely set spikes of very large florets in the Russell Lupins are the ultimate in perennial breeding. Here's a perennial that would be profitable sold in bloom in paper pots. We have been making selections from the originator's stock to get increased vigor and the finest possible colors. Pink, rose, buff, bronze, rust red and blues are in our mixture, as well as many bicolors. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 30c; 1/4 Oz. 55c; Oz. \$2.00.

## LUNARIA (Honesty)

**W3178 BIENNIS.** (1500 seeds.) Here's an outstanding example of the changing styles in flowers. A few years ago there was little interest in the seed pods of this biennial which the old timers called Silver Dollars. Now we see many florists' windows featuring them! It takes two years to get flowers and seed pods unless seed is started indoors very early. 2'

1/4 Oz. 35c; Oz. \$1.25.

## PRIMROSE

**W4023 VERIS COLOSSEA.** (33,000 seeds.) This new primrose has larger flowers 1½ to 2", longer stems and a wider range of colors than is found in the older varieties. If plants are blooming at May planting time they bring very good prices. Seed may take from 4-6 weeks to germinate. 10"

Lg. Pkt. 60c; 1/8 Oz. \$2.00; 1/4 Oz. \$3.25; Oz. \$10.00.

## PYRETHRUM (Painted Daisy)

**W4015 ROBINSON'S HYBRIDS.** (22,000 seeds.) The best single strain developed thus far with very large daisy-like flowers and long stems. A profitable cut-flower for May and June. Plants sell well, too. 2½'

Lg. Pkt. 30c; 1/4 Oz. \$1.00; Oz. \$3.00.

## SHASTA DAISY

**W4670 ALASKA.** (20,000 seeds.) Large single flowers produced in abundance on long stiff stems. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 20c; 1/4 Oz. 45c; Oz. \$1.50.

**W4672 DIENER'S DOUBLE.** Although no large percentage of these may be double, very new and interesting forms appear in a planting. 3'

Lg. Pkt. 40c; 1/8 Oz. \$1.00; 1/4 Oz. \$1.75; Oz. \$5.50.



DWARF GRENADIN HARDY CARNATIONS—  
A good item for sale in berry boxes.

## SWEET WILLIAM

(26,000 seeds.) Short lived perennials that are usually treated as biennials, Sweet Williams provide a lot of color early in the season before many perennials are in bloom. There seems to be a ready sale for flowering plants of both the tall and dwarf. The following are the best colors:

**W6132 Newport Pink**

**W6133 Scarlet Beauty**

EITHER OF ABOVE TWO COLORS:  
Lg. Pkt. 25c; 1/4 Oz. 60c; Oz. \$2.00.

**W6130 TALL MIXED COLORS.** Interesting combinations of reds, pinks, salmon and white. 18"

Lg. Pkt. 15c; 1/4 Oz. 50c; Oz. \$1.50; 1/4 Lb. \$5.00.

**W6140 DWARF MIXED COLORS.** A row of these near your place of business will attract customers for the dwarf plants form a band of warm colors that are as beautifully blended as in an oriental rug. 10"

Lg. Pkt. 35c; 1/4 Oz. \$1.75; Oz. \$4.50; 1/4 Lb. \$16.00.

**ALYSSUM (40,000 seeds) 1'** Lg. Pkt. 1/4 Oz. Oz.  
**W2025 Saxatile Compacta** .25 \$40 \$1.25

**AUBRIETIA (Purple Rock Cress)**

**W2050 Large Flowered Hybrids** .35 .85 3.00  
(85,000 seeds) 6"

**ARABIS (White Rock Cress) 8"**

**W2080 Alpina (150,000 seeds)** .25 .50 1.75

**BELLIS (English Daisy)** See page 25

**COREOPSIS (13,000 seeds) 3'**

**W2441 Double. Yellow** .35 1.10

**DIANTHUS (Clove Pinks) (28,000 seeds)**

**W2700 Plumarius, Mixed 18"** .35 1.35 4.00

1/8 Oz. 75c

**FORGET-ME-NOT (Myosotis)** See page 27

**GEUM (7,000 seeds) 18"**

**W2921 Mrs. Bradshaw. Scarlet** .30 .80 2.50

**GYPHOPHILA (Baby's Breath)**

(35,000 seeds)

**W2995 Paniculata Single 3'** .35 1.00

**W2996 Paniculata Double 3'** .45 1.50 4.50

**HOLLYHOCK (3200 seeds) 5'**

**W3100 Double. Mixed Colors** .30 .55 1.75

**LATHYRUS (Hardy Sweet Pea)**

(600 seeds) 4'

**W3210 Latifolius. Mixed** .60 2.00

**LAVANDULA (32,000 seeds)**

**W3273 Sweet Lavender 18"** .50 1.30

**LINUM (Flax) (7600 seeds)**

**W3342 Perenne. Blue 18"** .30 .80

**POPPY (215,000 seeds)**

**W3951 Oriental. Mixed 2½'** .35 1.00 3.00

**W3960 Iceland. Mixed colors 2'** .30 1.00 3.00

**SCABIOSA (3000 seeds)**

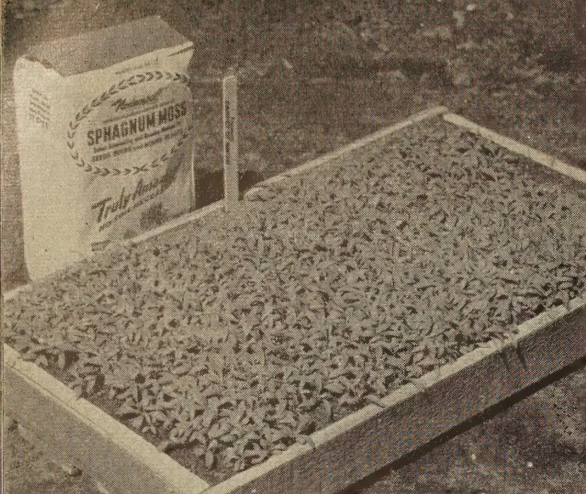
**W4663 Caucasica perfecta 2'** .40 1.50 4.50

## USE SPHAGNUM FOR PERENNIAL SEED SOWING

Quicker and better germination, less drying out and no damping off. We sow seeds thinner in it than in sterilized soil.

See page 32.





Note the uniform stand, husky growth and high germination of this flat of alyssum grown in NO-DAMP-OFF SPHAGNUM MOSS. It is the best and safest medium we know for starting vegetable and flower plants indoors or under glass.

## ISOTOX 25 Seed Treater F

Protects Corn and other seeds against Wire Worms and Seed Corn Maggots.

25% LINDANE, 12% CAPTAN. Economical, easy to use—just add to planter box and stir at time of planting. Also good on beans and vine crop seeds. Birds do not like seed treated with Isotox 25. We find this material convenient and highly effective.

4 1/2 oz. (treats 50 lbs. corn) \$1.35;  
1 lb. \$3.45 postpaid.

## ARASAN—General Purpose Seed Treatment.

Widely used, effective on many kinds of seeds. Protects against soil organisms which cause rot and decay. It controls pre-emergence damping off, improves stands. Especially good on beets, spinach, radish, tomatoes and corn.

3/4 oz. 25c; 8 oz. \$1.10.

## CAPTAN

(Orthocide Garden Fungicide)

50% CAPTAN, the versatile new fungicide that has been acclaimed for fruit trees, tomatoes, vine crops and many others. Highly effective and compatible with most insecticides.

1/2 lb. (makes up to 25 gals. spray) \$1.25;  
1 lb. \$1.95; 2 1/2 lbs. \$3.95.

## CHLORDANE—5% DUST

Excellent insecticide for cut worms, grasshoppers, Japanese beetles, ants and many others.

1 lb. 70c; 4 lbs. \$1.75 postpaid to 5th zone.

## CUCUMBER—MELON DUST

Combined Insecticide and Fungicide

1% LINDANE, 3.9% ZINEB. An excellent formula for maximum protection of vine crops against cucumber beetles, aphids, squash borers and some diseases. Highly recommended.

1 lb. 75c; 3 lbs. \$1.40 postpaid to 5th zone.  
Not paid: 50 lb. bag \$13.00.

## DDT SPRAY—50% DDT

A widely used form of DDT for agricultural purposes. Simply mix with water for spraying. Excellent for corn, potatoes, cabbage, onions and many other crops. Very powerful and lasts longer than other insecticides.

1 lb. (makes 50 to 100 gal. solution) 75c;  
4 lbs. \$1.85 postpaid to the 5th zone.

### PLEASE NOTE

Items quoted "postpaid to 5th Zone" are shipped at our expense to places in the U.S.A. about 1000 miles from Rochester, an area including Minnesota, Iowa, and Missouri to the West and Alabama and Georgia to the South. Beyond this limit, please add 5c per lb. for extra shipping charges.

## NO-DAMP-OFF SPHAGNUM MOSS

For Starting Seeds Indoors.

Safe—Amazingly Effective

This horticultural milled sphagnum moss is the greatest help in starting seedlings that we have ever seen. Use it alone or as a 1/4 in. layer over your regular soil. It assures excellent germination, less danger of drying out and no damping off!

We've had wonderful results with petunias and other flower seeds, peppers, celery, etc. If you start seeds in the greenhouse or frames, be sure to try it. The 10 oz. package will cover several flats, and the 2 cu. ft. size is economical for commercial plant growers.

10 Oz. Pkg. 95c;  
2 cu. ft. size (wt. 6 lbs.) \$3.25  
postpaid to 5th zone.

## CROW REPELLENT

If you are troubled with crows and other birds pulling up your seed corn, treat it with STANLEY'S CROW REPELLENT. Will not harm seed or clog planter.

1/2 Pt. (treats 1 bu.) 60c; Pt. \$1.00;  
Qt. \$1.75 postpaid to 5th zone.

## SEED TREATMENTS

### ORTHO SEED GUARD

Combination Treatment for Insects and Disease

17% LINDANE, 50% CAPTAN. Based on the Geneva formula for protection of beans and corn against seed corn maggots and wire worms, and prevents seed rot and damping off—also used on cucumbers and melons. Mix with water. Pour over seed and stir well. 4 1/2 oz. treats 3 bu. of corn or beans. 100 lbs. of vine seeds.

4 1/2 oz. jar \$1.65; 1 lb. \$4.50 postpaid.

### ORTHOCLIDE 75 SEED PROTECTANT

Prevents Seed Rot and Damping-Off

75% CAPTAN. Safe and highly effective on nearly all garden seeds. Especially good on beans, beets, cabbage, cucumbers, melons and squash, egg plant and peppers. 1 Oz. treats up to 30 lbs. of most seeds.

4 1/2 oz. jar \$1.20; 1 lb. \$2.60 postpaid

## SPRAYS and DUSTS

### GARDEN DUST OR SPRAY

Effective on Many Crops

4% MALATHION, 5% METHOXYCHLOR, 3.97% ZINEB. Controls a wide range of diseases and pests including mites and aphids. Good on beans, tomatoes, potatoes, cabbage and plenty of other vegetables and flowers. Best and safest all-purpose material we know.

1 lb. 85c; 5 lbs. \$2.75 postpaid to 5th zone.

### MALATHION SPRAY—50% Emulsion

New insecticide, safer to use than Parathion and effective on many of the same insects. Use for fly control in barns and on crops against mites, scale insects, Mexican bean beetles, leaf hoppers and many aphids.

4 oz. \$1.00; 8 oz. \$1.85; Pt. \$2.70;  
Qt. \$4.25; postpaid to 5th zone.

### NICO-FUME

Effective, convenient nicotine fumigant for greenhouses. 1/2 lb. completely fumigates up to 15,000 cu. ft.

1 half lb. can, 65c; one lb. can 95c.  
6 half-lb. cans \$3.30; 6 one-lb. cans \$5.50;  
12 half-lb. cans \$5.65; 12 one-lb. cans \$10.70  
all postpaid to 5th zone.

### ROTENONE DUST (1%)

Non-poisonous insecticide of great value to growers. Use on beans for bean beetles, on cabbage and cauliflower for worms and on vine crops for all insects.

1 lb. 55c; 4 lbs. \$1.50 postpaid to 5th zone.

### WEED-BRUSH KILLER—2,4-D and 2,4,5-T

(Improved Weed-B-Gone)

Kills Weeds and Woody Plants.

Low volatile esters of 2,4-D and 2,4,5-T for killing broad-leaved weeds in lawns and pastures, also kills poison ivy, brambles, sumac, etc. An excellent, versatile product.

8 oz. \$1.00; Pt. \$1.50; Qt. \$2.75; Gal. \$6.75;  
postpaid to 5th zone.

## LABELS AND STAKES

**MORETON  
HYBRID**

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Smooth white wooden labels of fine quality. Painted stakes completely covered with a thin layer of paint. (Wt. 1000—4 lbs.)

POT LABELS	100	1000
4 in. Plain	\$.40	\$3.10
4 in. Painted	.45	3.60
5 in. Plain	.40	3.35
5 in. Painted	.45	3.95
6 in. Plain	.45	3.65
6 in. Painted	.50	4.45

Postpaid to 5th Zone

### GARDEN STAKES

	100	1000 (Wt. 30 lbs.)
12 in. Plain	\$2.00 pp	\$14.50 Not Paid
12 in. Painted	\$2.25 pp	\$16.50 Not Paid

### SEMESAN—Treats Bot., Seed and Soil.

This old favorite is still very useful as a dry or liquid seed treatment or as a drench for treating soils and bulbs for control of soil rot, damping off, etc.

4 oz. \$1.20; 12 oz. \$3.40.

### SEMESAN BEL

For Seed Potatoes. One pound treats 50 to 60 bu. of cut potatoes. For control of rhizoctonia and seed-born scab.

3 oz. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$3.30.

### SPERGON

Good, safe fungicide for many seeds. Protects against decay, improves stands. Best on beans and peas. (Note: our pea seed is already treated with Spergon.)

1 oz. 50c; 5 oz. \$1.75; 1 lb. \$2.75 postpaid.

### ZERLATE SPRAY

Excellent fungicide spray for vegetable plants in greenhouses, and on vine crops all season. Widely used on tomatoes. Controls fruit and leaf spot disease and anthracnose.

3 lbs. (makes up to 200 gals.) \$2.60  
postpaid to 5th zone.

### BLOSSOM-SET HORMONE SPRAY

Helps tomato blossoms to set earlier, in spite of cool nights. Fruit ripen quicker, have better quality. May be sprayed over entire plant.

4 oz. 75c; Pt. \$1.75 postpaid to 5th zone.

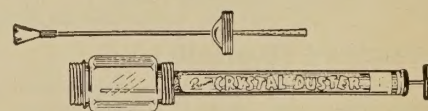
Case of 12 pts. (wt. 20 lbs.) \$16.50 Not paid.

### AEROSOL BLOSSOM-SET

All ready to use, no sprayer required—12 Oz. of Blossom-Set (see above), a season's supply for 100 plants, in a handy aerosol bomb.

Ea. \$1.80; 6 for \$9.60; 12 (wt. 12 lbs.) for \$17.75  
postpaid to 5th zone.

### CRYSTAL DUSTERS

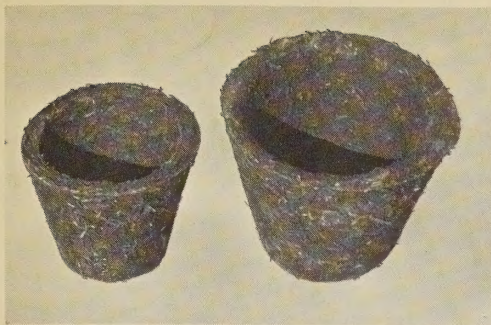


These handy, efficient dusters are just right for the small farm or garden. They are easy to operate, and the long extension nozzle makes it simple to dust the hard-to-get spots near the ground and under the leaves which are so important. Market gardeners with a number of small crops will find these very convenient, since they are easy to fill and clean and handy to use. Overall length 40 inches.

(Wt. 4 lbs.) \$2.75 postpaid to 5th zone.

All prices quoted in this catalog are subject to change without notice, and to our stocks being unsold.





## 'FERTILE' POTS

These famous manure pots assure a steady, even growth of plants as they feed on the pot as they grow. Plants raised in them can be set out in the field, pots and all, without any check in growth. The pot disintegrates and furnishes just the right plant food for best growth. These pots save time and labor, and actually produce earlier fruit and better yields of early cabbage, egg plant, peppers, tomatoes, melons, etc.

These pots are carefully packed in strong divided cartons to prevent breakage.

### No. 2 1/2 (about 2 1/2" outside diameter):

Carton of 60 (wt. 5 lbs.) \$1.85 pp. to 5th zone  
Carton of 250 (wt. 18 lbs.)

\$3.95 NOT prepaid\*

1000 or more . . . \$14.25 per M NOT prepaid\*

### No. 3 (about 3" outside diameter):

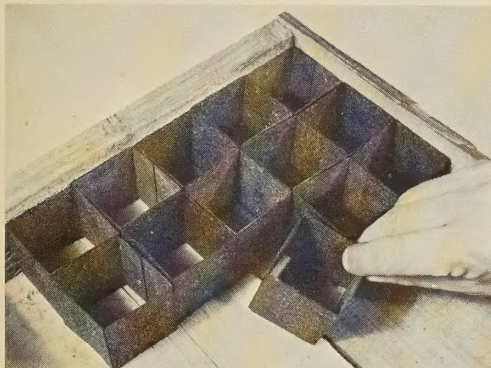
Carton of 60 (wt. 7 lbs.) \$2.15 pp. to 5th zone  
Carton of 250 (wt. 25 lbs.)

\$4.45 NOT prepaid\*

1000 or more . . . \$15.95 per M NOT prepaid\*

## PLANT BANDS

Bird Nutrient-Treated Vita Bands



Grow vegetable and flower plants in these low cost, nutrient-treated fibre bands for better growth, larger root systems. Easy to use, save space and time, eliminate transplanting shock. Highly successful, more used every year.

### Vita Band 10

The standard kind and the best for most growers.

Sizes in inches	Price per 1000	Weight per M	No. per case
1 1/2 x 1 1/2 x 2 1/2	\$3.70	16 lbs.	2000
1 3/4 x 1 3/4 x 2 1/2	4.00	19 lbs.	2000
2 x 2 x 2 1/2	4.55	21 lbs.	2000
2 1/2 x 2 1/2 x 3	6.00	31 lbs.	2000
3 x 3 x 3	6.90	38 lbs.	1000
4 x 4 x 3	9.00	52 lbs.	500
4 x 4 x 4	11.25	66 lbs.	500

Purchaser pays transportation\*—Sold in full cases only.

### Vita Band D

New "disintegrating" type — lighter weight; band is left on when setting.

Sizes in inches	Price per 1000	Weight per M	No. per case
1 3/4 x 1 3/4 x 2 1/2	\$4.15	12 lbs.	2000
2 x 2 x 2 1/2	4.65	13 lbs.	2000
2 1/2 x 2 1/2 x 3	6.05	19 lbs.	2000
3 x 3 x 3	7.05	24 lbs.	1000
4 x 4 x 4	11.60	42 lbs.	1000

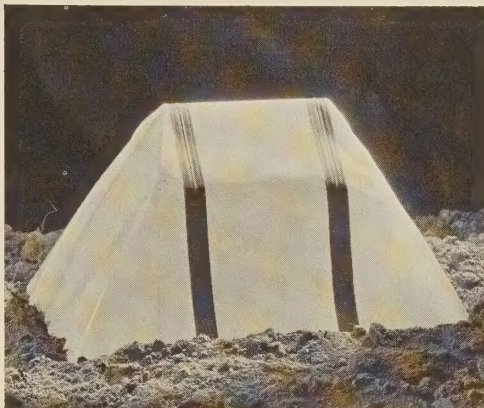
Purchaser pays transportation\*—Sold in full cases only.

Write for information on Tom Thumb Flats and the new long-lasting Vita-Band H.

## HOTENTS

Large, strong, reinforced with wire. Measure 14 x 11 in. at the base, 8 1/2 in. high. Will stand up under adverse conditions. Excellent for melons, summer squash, tomatoes, etc. Practical and successful, many thousands are used every year.

500 (wt. 35 lbs.) . . . \$14.75 NOT prepaid\*  
1000 or more . . . \$28.50 per M NOT prepaid\*  
5000 or more @ \$27.75 per M . . . NOT prepaid\*  
(Available only in cartons of 500.)



HOTENTS

## SUPER HOTENTS

For early tomatoes and other crops that require protection for some time, these are the largest and strongest field forcers. Extra strong, reinforced with wire. Size 14" x 18" x 12" high.

500 (wt. 60 lbs.) . . . \$21.25 NOT prepaid\*  
1000 or more . . . \$41.50 per M NOT prepaid\*  
(Available only in cartons of 500.)

## New

## "JIFFY" POTS

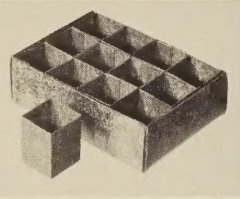
These light-weight peat and fiber pots are made in Norway by a special process that has given us the best results of any plant container we have tried. Unfortunately the demand far exceeds the available supply so far. We expect to have some pots to offer in March. Please write then for prices and quantities. Two sizes: 2 1/4 in. and 3 in.

## TOM THUMB FLATS

From Bird & Son.

These waterproof fiber trays make a neat convenient one-dozen package to sell Vita-Band plants. Graded plants in these trays bring premium prices.

Shipped flat, easily set up. Weight: 250 No. 1's 61 lbs.; 250 No. 2's 72 lbs.



	250	1000
No. 1 Size (holds twelve 1 3/4 x 1 3/4 x 2 1/2 Bands) . . .	\$13.00	\$44.70
No. 2 Size (holds twelve 2 x 2 x 2 1/2 Bands) . . .	14.00	49.60

Write for prices on combinations of Tom Thumb Flats and Vita Bands.

## NEW DOZEN-PLANT CONTAINERS

More and more plant growers are turning to the new dozen-plant flats or trays for growing and selling annuals and vegetable plants. Write us for prices and information on the latest products.

\*NOT prepaid items: These are shipped at purchaser's expense. Please specify on your order mail, express, freight or truck (see inside front cover) and give your nearest office.

If wanted by mail, include postage at zone rate. Note size and weight restrictions. Super Hotents cannot be sent by mail. Other packages over 20 lbs. cannot be mailed to first class post office unless you are on a rural route. Check with your local postmaster.

Postpaid items: Where quoted postpaid (or pp.) to 5th zone, we pay postage to places in U.S.A. up to 1000 miles from Rochester (includes Minn., Iowa, Missouri to west and Alabama and Georgia to south). Beyond this limit, please add 5c per lb. for shipping charges.



HOTKAPS

## HOTKAPS

These strong wax paper covers form little hot houses over each plant or hill of seed. Permit earlier planting, promote better growth, quicker maturity. Good protection against frost, wind, beating rains and insects. Easy to ventilate during warm periods.

25 with Fibre Setter . . . 95c pp.  
100 with Fibre Setter (wt. 5 lbs.) . . . \$3.25

250 with Fibre Setter (wt. 10 lbs.) . . . \$6.15

1000 to 4000 without Setter (wt. 33 lbs.)

per 1000 . . . \$17.85 per M NOT prepaid\*

5000 to 10,000 without Setter (wt. 33 lbs.)

per 1000 . . . \$17.65 per M NOT prepaid\*

## SETTERS

HOTKAP Steel Setters (4 lbs.) \$1.90 NOT prepaid\*

HOTENT Metal Setters (4 lbs.) \$2.60 NOT prepaid\*

SUPER HOTENT Metal Setters (wt. 6 lbs.)

\$3.60 each NOT prepaid\*

## TAKE-HOLD — Starter Solution

10-52-17—Soluble—Economic

This high-analysis, low cost starter solution is the best buy in its field, we believe. High phosphates are essential to reduce transplanting shock, and give plants a strong start.

Water it on plants before setting out and add it to the transplanting water. It promotes rapid early growth, quicker ripening. We use it on all our transplanted crops—cabbage, cauliflower, peppers, tomatoes, melons, etc. 3 lbs. to 50 gal. of water.

3 Lbs. \$1.35; 12 Lbs. \$3.75 postpaid to 5th zone.  
Not paid: 50 Lbs. \$11.50

## NUTRI-LEAF 60 (New)

20-20-20—Feeds Plants Through Leaves

Complete soluble fertilizer, contains traces of minor elements, a safe wetting agent and has improved solubility. One of the finest materials for leaf-feeding.

Spray directly on plants or water into soil. Combine with insecticide and fungicide sprays—it can be used repeatedly to good effect. Highly recommended for both greenhouse and field use. 5 lbs. per 100 gals. water.

1 Lb. 95c; 5 Lbs. \$1.95 pp. to 5th zone

## TWISTEMS



Excellent for bunching vegetables and flowers, tying up plants, etc. Labor saving, quick and attractive. (Weight per M: 7" and 8", 1 lb.; 12"-2 lb.; 16"-3 lb.)

	PRICE PER THOUSAND		
	1-9 M	10-24 M	25M or more
Size	pp. to 5th zone	Not Paid*	Not Paid*
7 in.	\$1.60	\$1.40	\$1.30
8 in.	1.80	1.55	1.45
12 in.	2.70	2.35	2.25
16 in.	3.45	3.00	2.90



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## 1956



**SUPER CACTUS FLOWERED ZINNIA, MIXED COLORS** — New for 1956 is this improved strain with uniformly large, more fully double flowers produced more freely than in the original strain. Contains more and better colors too. See page 30.



**HARRIS' NORTH STAR** — The one best hybrid for early planting—its amazing vigor defies cold weather. See page 8.



**FIRE DANCE PETUNIA** — All-America Award Winner for 1956. A giant  $F_1$  hybrid fringed variety, the same fiery orange-scarlet color of the  $F_1$  hybrid bedding Comanche but with a large yellow throat that makes the color even more spectacular. See page 24.



**HARRIS' NORTHERN CROSS** — Handsome market appearance, unusual vigor, big yields—an outstanding second-early hybrid. See page 8.

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